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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OFFICERS

For the Year Ending
December 31, 1956

FIRE NOTICE!

No Fire Department calls, other than those listed below, will be honored by the Town unless called by the Selectmen.

EAST BARRE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Days (except Sundays and Holidays) 8 A. M. - 6 P. M.

Bullis Store — GR 6-7251

Rubalcaba's Market — GR 6-4012

Nights, Sundays and Holidays:

Seldon Jarvis — GR 6-8587

Edward Solomon — GR 6-5126

CHELSEA FIRE DEPARTMENT

OVerland 5-2601

TRI-VILLAGE FIRE DEPARTMENT

(East Orange Section)

TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator ..... GORDON LADD
Town Clerk and Treasurer ..... D. E. CARPENTER
Selectman (term expires 1957) ..... STANLEY DAVIS
Selectman (term expires 1958) ..... KENNETH SEAVER
Selectman (term expires 1959) ..... ARTHUR BEEDE
Lister (term expires 1957) ..... CLARENCE BEEDE
Lister (term expires 1958) ..... LAWRENCE MORRIE
Lister (term expires 1959) ..... WILLIAM CHAMBERLIN
School Directors:
(term expires 1957) ..... ROBERT McCALLUM
(term expires 1958) ..... A. MAURICE PARTRIDGE
(term expires 1959) ..... VERA McDONALD
Auditor (term expires 1957) ..... PHYLLIS FLINT
Auditor (term expires 1958) ..... MYRTLE SPENCER
Auditor (term expires 1959) ..... GORDON LADD
Town Agent ..... D. E. CARPENTER
Constable and Tax Collector ..... EDWARD ROY
Overseer of Poor ..... W. G. RICHARDSON
Road Commissioner ..... U. V. DURANLEAU
Library Trustee (1957) ..... MYRTLE SPENCER
Library Trustee (1958) ..... ALPHEUS MASON
Library Trustee (1959) ..... KATHERYN WORTHLEY
Library Trustee (1960) ..... WILLIAM CHAMBERLIN
Library Trustee (1961) ..... MABEL SEAVER
Cemetery Commissioner (1957) ..... NATHAN FLINT
Cemetery Commissioner (1958) ..... LEE KINGSBURY
Cemetery Commissioner (1959) ..... GORDON LADD
Justices of the Peace:
A. BEEDE, FAY DEBERVILLE, GORDON LADD,
W. G. RICHARDSON, C. M. FLINT
Notaries Public .... D. E. CARPENTER, D. E. WORTHLEY
Representative to General Assembly ..... ARLENE LADD
Town Fire Warden ..... D. E. CARPENTER
Old Age Assistance Investigator ..... D. E. CARPENTER
Fence Viewers .... F. DEBERVILLE, W. G. RICHARDSON,
M. B. ROYCE
Pound Keepers ..... L. DOWNING, U. V. DURANLEAU,
M. B. ROYCE

AUDITOR'S REPORT

Comparative Financial Statements

Two Years Ending Dec. 31, 1956

General Fund

Assets

	1955	1956
Cash, on hand and in banks	$ 2,498.46	$ 1,115.01
Delinquent Taxes	5,308.94	5,361.47
Delinquent Lease Land Rent	126.97	67.40
McClellan Mortgage Note, plus int.	273.65	273.65
Balance Grader Account		1,037.96
Due from State of Vermont		7,831.66
	$ 8,208.02	$ 15,687.15

Liabilities

First National Bank, 4%	$ 1,500.00	$ 1,000.00
Lamoille County Bk. & Tr. Co., 3%	5,000.00	4,000.00
Montpelier Savings Bank, 4%		10,800.00
Montpelier Savings Bank, 3½%	7,000.00	5,000.00
Montpelier Savings Bank, 3%	5,000.00	4,000.00
L. D. and Laura Meredith, 3½%		2,000.00
Peo. Nat. Bank, grader notes, 2½%	7,800.00	7,120.00
Ballou Adams Co. Bonds, 2½%	5,000.00	4,000.00
Money for which Town is liable:		
Cemetery perpetual care funds	2,675.00	2,675.00
Interest on cemetery funds	53.51	53.51
Cemetery funds unexpended	61.53	19.48
Taxes due School District	2,304.27	1,402.15
Library funds	800.00	800.00
Town Officers' Salaries	544.00	534.00

Accts. payable (Overseer of Poor)	3,143.83	
Accts. payable (Snow Roads)		343.00
	$ 40,882.14	$ 42,947.14
Jan. 1, 1956 Town was in Debt	$ 32,674.12	
Jan. 1, 1957 Town was in Debt		$ 27,259.99
Excess of Liabilities over Assets decreased by		$ 5,414.13

School District

Assets

	1955	1956
Cash on hand	$ 8,367.36	$ 9,205.40
Balance due on taxes	2,304.27	1,402.15
Total Assets	$ 10,671.63	$ 10,607.55

Liabilities

Insurance payments withheld		$ 14.44
Building Notes, 2¾%	$ 3,000.00	2,000.00
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	$ 7,671.63	$ 8,593.11
The School District balance increased		$ 921.48

Respectfully submitted,

PHYLLIS FLINT,
MYRTLE SPENCER,
GORDON LADD,
Auditors

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Town General

Cash on hand and in Bank Jan. 1, 1956		$ 1,877.56
Receipts:—		
Poll Taxes	$ 937.55	
Old Age Taxes	945.00	
Real Estate and Per. Prop. Taxes	13,942.71	
		15,825.26
Delinquent Taxes	$ 2,539.32	
Interest on taxes	160.31	
		2,699.63
Loans Current:—		
Montpelier Savings Bank & Trust Co.		10,774.92
State of Vermont Highways:—		
Winter Maint. Town highways	$ 894.50	
Winter Maintenance St. Aid	603.00	
State Aid	7,065.13	
Resurfacing	603.00	
Town Highways	2,625.00	
		11,790.63
Interest:—		
On Cemetery Funds	$ 253.45	
On McClellan Note	15.49	
		268.94
Rent:—		
Lease Land		156.00
Refunds:—		
Overseer's Account	$ 397.11	
Selected Snow roads, 2 ton salt of 1954	41.20	
On light bill (Union Gospel Church)	18.00	
State of Vt. on Henry Morris, '54 and '55	831.97	
Rebate on Liability Insurance	7.85	
		1,296.13
By Sales:—		
Land sold (Barsalou)	$ 36.00	
Dog License from Town Clerk	240.75	
		276.75

Miscellaneous:—		
Montpelier Sav. Bk. & Tr. Co. Div.	$ 1.28	
J. L. Johannessen Liquor License	37.50	
From Grader account, repairs	178.14	
Town of Orange Culvert, on Emery road	70.76	
		287.68
Total Funds Available		$ 45,253.50
Orders Paid:—		
Selectmen's Account A	$ 11,548.27	
Unselected Account E	9,470.27	
Resurfacing Account F	906.00	
State Aid Account G	8,121.31	
Selected Snow Road Account I	1,016.51	
Unselected Snow Road Account K	2,888.69	
Dirt Road Account D	2,091.13	
Maintenance Account J	771.80	
Overseer's Account C	6,793.94	
Bank charge for check book	4.39	
Cemetery Commissioner's C C		
General care	177.18	
Perpetual care	349.00	
Amount of orders paid	$ 44,138.49	
Cash on hand and in Bank Jan. 1, 1957	1,115.01	
		$ 45,253.50

Statement of Taxes for 1956

Grand List	$ 3,487.77
Tax Rate	9.63

Taxes Levied

General Town Tax	$ 3.00	$ 10,463.31

Town Highway	.25	871.94
Special Highway	.60	2,092.66
Resurfacing	.10	348.78
Indebtedness	1.00	3,487.77
School Tax	4.36	15,206.68
School Indebtedness	.32	1,116.09
Total Rate and Amount	$ 9.63	$ 33,587.23
Old Age Assistance Tax, 229 Polls @ $5.00		1,145.00
Total Tax Levy		$ 34,732.23

Taxes Collected by Treasurer:—		
Real and Personal	$ 27,978.81	
Poll Taxes	1,822.07	
Old Age Tax	945.00	
Discount	499.25	
Taxes turned to Collector:—		
Delinquent Polls and warrants	585.20	
Delinquent Prop. and warrants	2,906.65	
	$ 34,736.98	
Less warrants	4.75	
Amount of Tax Levied		$ 34,732.23

DELMER E. CARPENTER,
Town Treasurer

TOWN GRADER AND EQUIPMENT ACCOUNT

Received From:—	
Balance Jan. 1, 1956	$ 620.90
Dirt Road Account D	394.50
Maintenance Account J	255.00
Unselected Road Account E	112.00
Resurfacing Account F	51.00
State Aid Account G	227.00

Unselected Snow Account I			178.50
Selected Snow Account K			833.00
Total Received			$ 2,671.90
Paid out on Grader:—			
Fuel oil		$ 81.00	
Anti freeze, grease and gas		63.03	
Payment of one note		680.00	
Payment of interest on notes		186.50	
Repairs		203.86	
Tires		159.97	
Expense on grader		$ 1,374.36	
Paid on Bush Cutter:—			
Purchase price	$ 240.00		
Oil	19.58		
Total		259.58	
Total paid out		$ 1,633.94	
Balance Jan. 1, 1957		1,037.96	
			$ 2,671.90

DOG LICENSES ISSUED IN 1956

92 dogs @ $2.00	$ 184.00
6 dogs @ 3.00	18.00
11 dogs @ 6.00	66.00
	$ 268.00
Less fee of 25¢ per dog	27.25
Balance to Town	$ 240.75
Paid to Treasurer	$ 240.75

DELMER E. CARPENTER,
Town Clerk

SELECTMEN'S ORDERS

Interest and Notes

First Nat. Bank of Montpelier, bond and note	$	1,500.00
First Nat. Bank of Montpelier, int. on bonds and notes		172.50
Montpelier Savings Bank & Trust Co., note		1,000.00
Montpelier Savings Bank & Trust Co., interest		455.83
J. Douglas and Laura Meredith, interest		70.00
Lamoille County Savings Bank, note		1,000.00
Lamoille County Savings Bank, interest		150.00
Calef Library, int. on Braley and White funds		40.00
Total	$	4,388.33

Bonds and Insurance

D. E. Worthley, bonds for town officers	$	48.00
D. E. Worthley, Compensation Insurance		236.62
D. E. Worthley, adjustment of 1955 insurance		42.70
D. E. Worthley, ins. on town hall		4.68
D. E. Worthley, ins. on garage		10.88
Total	$	342.88

Appropriations and Assessments

E. H. Sargent, county tax	$	102.98
State Treas., highway assessment		294.35
State Treas., old age assistance tax		1,030.50
Vt. Agr. Extension Service, agricultural tax		134.69
Town School District, 1955 delinquent tax		2,304.27
Town Treas, 1956 property tax		188.64
Calef Library, 1956 appropriation		125.00
Union Gospel Church, 1956 lease land		30.00
Universalist Society, 1956 lease land		30.00
Total	$	4,240.43

Cost of Collecting Taxes

D. E. Carpenter, postage, poll tax cards	$	2.80
D. E. Carpenter, treas. list of polls		4.58
D. E. Carpenter, delinquent list polls and prop.		11.25
Thelma Carpenter, computing taxes		50.25
Chelsea Job Press, printing tax notices		7.75
Barre Times, advertising taxes due		5.10

Barre Times, adv. grievance meeting		13.50
Louis Lavin, consulation with tax collector		10.50
D. E. Carpenter, 1% collecting poll and property		307.46
Total	$	413.19

Town Clerk's Office

Leonard Simpson, ins. on building	$	11.65
Tuttle Stationery Co., stationery and supplies		14.46
D. E. Carpenter, postage and supplies		8.15
B. N. Sisco Adm., order pads		6.70
Wheeler & Clark, dog tags		9.52
King's Store, stove		18.00
King's Store, installing stove and supplies		31.65
Benjamin Harrington, cleaning stove		5.00
Gulf Oil Co., range oil		26.21
Kenneth Seaver, 4 yds. cello glass		3.12
Total	$	134.46

Town Officers

D. E. Carpenter, town clerk and treas. 1955	$	190.00
D. E. Carpenter, old age investigator 1955		10.00
D. E. Carpenter, old age investigator 1956		10.00
D. E. Carpenter, fire warden 1956		5.00
Arthur Beede, selectman 1955		40.00
Stanley Davis, selectman 1955		40.00
Kenneth Seaver, selectman 1955		40.00
Gordon Ladd, moderator 1956		4.00
Gordon Ladd, auditor 1956		40.00
Phyllis Flint, auditor 1956		40.00
Myrtle Spencer, auditor 1956		40.00
Clarence Beede, lister and car 1956		69.90
Lawrence Morrie, lister and car 1956		51.41
Wm. Chamberlin, lister and car 1956		62.29
Total	$	642.60

Elections

Modern Printing Co., town reports	$	197.50
E. W. Thurber, printing ballots, town meeting and general election		32.75
D. E. Carpenter, services special meeting and general election		24.00
Barre Times, advertising special meeting		14.40
Barre Times, adv. board of civil authority		3.00

Thelma Carpenter, ballot clerk town meeting and general election		12.00
Phylis Flint, ballot clerk town meeting		4.00
Mabel Seaver, ballot clerk general elections		8.00
Wm. Richardson, presiding officer Nov. election		6.00
A. C. Beede, absent ballots town meeting		4.00
Wm. Richardson, absent ballots town meeting		3.00
York Ordway, janitor at town hall		4.50
Total	$	313.15

Bridges

Snow Bridge:		
Flint Bros., 1,400 ft, plank @ $85.00	$	119.00
Eugene Lemieux, 6 hrs. @ $1.00		6.00
Douglas Beede, 6 hrs. @ $1.00		6.00
	$	131.00
Hart Hollow Bridge:		
Flint Bros., 960 ft. plank @ $100.00	$	96.00
Roland Huntington, 6 hrs. @ $1.00		6.00
Lawrence Beede, 6 hrs. @ $1.00		6.00
A. C. Beede, 2 hrs. @ $1.00		2.00
A. C. Beede, truck 2 hrs. @ $1.20		2.40
Lawrence Fitts, 2 hrs. @ $1.00		2.00
	$	114.40
Clough Bridge:		
Flint Bros., 589 ft. plank @ $100.00	$	58.90
A. C. Beede, truck 3 hrs. @ $1.20		3.60
A. C. Beede, labor 3 hrs. @ $1.00		3.00
Steven Beede, labor 3 hrs. @ $1.00		3.00
	$	68.50
Repairing Several Bridges:		
Kenneth Seaver, 7 hrs. @ $1.00	$	7.00
A. C. Beede, 7 hrs. @ $1.00		7.00
A. C. Beede, truck 7 hrs. @ $1.20		8.40
	$	22.40
Total	$	336.30

Miscellaneous

Casellini-Venable Corp., 1955 repairs on grader	$	178.14
Eagle Flag & Toy Co., 12 dozen flags		20.75

Reynolds & Son., 4 shovels and one ax	22.98
D. E. Carpenter, recording tax collector deed	1.50
Green Mt. Power, lights	421.14
J. L. Johannessen, spikes, handles and kerosene	7.90
Tri Village Fire Dept., fire at C. M. Flints	71.50
Gulf Oil Corp., 1 case anti freeze	13.02
Total	$ 736.93
Total Selectmen's Orders	$ 11,548.27

Real Estate Owned by Town

Calef Library	Weedon Field, 20 acres
Town Clerk's Office	Elmer Beede lot
Tool House	Yeartaw Place
Town Hall	Clayton Goodhue, lot 3 acres
Village School	Theron Lord lot, 14 acres
Dashner Place, 1 acre	DeAlmedia lot, 7 acres

DUE TOWN OFFICERS

Gordon Ladd, Moderator	$ 4.00
D. E. Carpenter, Town Clerk and Treasurer	190.00
Arthur Beede, Selectman	40.00
Stanley Davis, Selectman	40.00
Kenneth Seaver, Selectman	40.00
Robert McCallum, School Director	30.00
Vera McDonald, School Director	30.00
A. Maurice Partridge, School Director and Clerk	60.00
D. E. Carpenter, School Treasurer	40.00
Nathan Flint, Cemetery Commissioner	20.00
Lee Kingsbury, Cemetery Commissioner	20.00
Gordon Ladd, Cemetery Commissioner	20.00
Total	$ 534.00

ELECTRIC LIGHT FUND

		Fund	Interest	Balance in Bank
21083	Lilla M. Patterson	$ 206.97	$ 5.18	$ 212.15
15301	Lizzie Avery	37.31	.92	38.23

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

	1955	1956
Balance on hand	$ 8,239.13	$ 8,367.36
Use of School Bus		22.95
Balance of Tax 1955		2,304.27
Wax and Sealer sold		8.50
Glass and junk	14.59	
School buildings sold	710.00	
School Bus sold	40.00	
Lease Land Rent	35.19	52.28
Town Treas., Poll Taxes	790.92	884.52
Montpelier National Bank	4,934.38	3,934.62
Rebate on insurance		5.60
Funds Available	$ 14,764.21	$ 15,580.10
Orders paid Jan. 1 to June 30	13,271.89	13,261.50
Balance on hand July, '55 and '56	$ 1,492.32	$ 2,318.60
Tuition Received	24.43	
Stove sold	1.20	
Refund on insurance	32.10	
Refund on Gas		2.38
Town Treasurer, property taxes	12,938.49	14,036.10
State Treas., aid for education	12,321.34	12,025.69
Funds Available	$ 26,809.88	$ 28,382.77
Orders paid July 1-Dec. 31	18,442.52	19,177.37
Balance on hand Jan. 1, '55 and '56	$ 8,367.36	$ 9,205.40
Less insurance withheld		14.44
		$ 9,190.96
Plus note from Town		1,402.15
Credit to Schools		$ 10,593.11

DELMER E. CARPENTER,
School Treasurer

SCHOOL DISTRICT INCOME

	Actual July 1, '55 June 30, '56	Estimated July 1, '56 June 30, '57	Actual July 1, '56 Dec. 31, '56	Budget July 1, '57 June 30, '58
Cash in Bank	$ 1,492.32	$ 2,318.60	$ 2,318.60	$ 2,000.00
Revenue other than school tax:				
State Aid	12,321.34	12,000.00	12,025.69	12,600.00
Lease Land Rent	52.28	35.00		50.00
Sale of Scrap Iron	1.20			
Rebate on Ins. Prem.	37.70			
Rebate on H. S. Tuition (Chelsea)	24.43			
Rental of Bus	22.95			
Sale of floor sealer and wax	8.50			
Gas Tax Refunds			2.38	
	$13,960.72	$14,353.60	$14,346.67	$14,650.00
1955 School Tax ($4.68 x $3,426.00)	15,242.76			
1956 School Tax (Poll Only)	884.52			
1956 School Tax ($4.68 x $3,487.77)		16,033.68	14,036.10 (1,402.14 more due)	
1957 School Tax ($5.42 x $3,487.77)				18,903.71
	$30,088.00	$30,387.28	$28,382.77	$33,553.71
Borrowed in order to operate to end of school year	3,934.62			
	$34,022.62			

BUDGET — CLASSIFIED SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

	Budget	Actual	Budget	Actual	Budget Proposed
	July 1, 1955 June 30, 1956		July 1, 1956 June 30, '57	Dec. 30, '56	July 1, '57 June 30, '58
General Control					
Board of Dir. Sal.	$ 90.00	$ 90.00	$ 90.00	$	$ 90.00
Clerk & Treas. Sal.	70.00	70.00	70.00		70.00
Expenses	20.00	10.72	20.00	3.50	15.00
Supervision	670.00	714.81	690.00	368.94	725.00
Instructional Expense					
Salary of Teachers	10,300.00	10,241.00	10,900.00	4,800.50	12,300.00
Elem. Tuition	1,550.00	1,040.00	1,050.00	401.15	800.00
High Sch. Tuition	8,160.00	6,681.24	8,620.00	3,770.00	11,450.00
Textbooks	300.00	493.06	400.00	422.81	450.00
Supplies	250.00	206.86	300.00	243.66	300.00
Operation of School Plant					
Janitor Service	1,025.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	420.00	1,000.00
Janitor Supplies	90.00	84.98	80.00	61.94	90.00
Fuel	800.00	1,179.03	850.00	223.65	900.00
Light and Power	150.00	184.12	165.00	89.58	185.00
Water	80.00	80.00	80.00	40.00	80.00
Maintenance of School					
Repairs	507.50	578.66	800.00	1,049.42	800.00
Furniture	200.00	237.02	250.00	646.13	300.00
Fixed Charges					
Ins. and bonds	210.00	218.98	215.00	94.86	220.00
Auxiliary Costs					
Health	15.00	12.87	20.00	23.88	20.00
Transportation	2,835.00	2,447.41	2,800.00	1,479.54	2,600.00
Census	10.00	9.06	10.00	9.60	10.00
Sundries		8.82	10.00	1.40	10.00
Graduation	10.00	13.13	10.00		15.00
Int. on Tax Ant. Loans	100.00	65.62	60.00	65.38	70.00
Adv. Sale of Sch.		4.50			
Deed, Sale of Sch.		1.50			
Tot. Current Expense	$ 27,442.50	$25,673.39	$28,490.00	$14,215.94	$32,500.00
Loans Paid (tax ant.)		4,934.38		3,934.62	
Building Note & Int.	1,096.25	1,096.25	1,082.50	1,041.25	1,055.00
Total Expenditures	$ 28,538.75	$31,704.02	$29,572.50	$19,191.81	$33,555.00
Cash on Hand		2,318.60		9,190.96	
Balance		$34,022.62		$28,382.77	

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF LIABILITIES

School Year Ending June 30

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
Short Term Loans	$ 8,500.00	$ 6,500.00	$ 6,500.00	$ 5,000.00	$ 4,000.00
Building Notes	7,000.00	6,000.00	5,000.00	4,000.00	3,000.00
	$ 15,500.00	$12,500.00	$11,500.00	$ 9,000.00	$ 7,000.00

ESTIMATE OF AMOUNT OF TAXES NEEDED

Estimated Expenditures: July 1, 1957 to June 30, 1958	$ 33,555.00
Less: Estimated income other than taxes	—14,650.00
Amount to be raised by taxes	$ 18,905.00
Tax Rate necessary on present Grand List of $3,487.77 of which 30¢ will be used to pay off Building Note and Interest.	$ 5.42

RE-CLASSIFIED SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

July 1, 1955 to June 30, 1956

General Control

Board of Directors

Robert J. McCallum, salary	$ 30.00
Edward H. Roy, salary	30.00
A. Maurice Partridge, salary	30.00
Delmer E. Carpenter, treasurer's salary	40.00
A. Maurice Partridge, clerk's salary	30.00
Clerical Expenses and School Board dues	10.72

Supervision

J. Newton Perrin, salary and expenses	714.81

Instructional Expenses

Mrs. Adeline P. Canales, teachers' salary	2,500.00
Miss Clara E. Riford, teachers' salary	2,480.00
Mr. Bernard A. Wiggin, teachers' salary	2,700.00
Miss Kathryn Worthley, teachers' salary	2,480.00
Mrs. Mae Partridge, substitute teachers' sal.	81.00
Town of Orange School Dist., elem. tuition	1,040.00
Barre City Schools, high school tuition	6,041.24
Bradford Academy, high school tuition	640.00

Textbooks	493.06
Instructional Supplies and Appliances	206.86
Operation of School Plant	
Eustache Goulet, janitor's wages	1,000.00
Janitor Supplies	84.98
Calder & Richardson, coal	1,179.03
Green Mt. Power Corp., light and power	184.12
Huntington Spring Water, water rent	80.00
Maintenance of School Plant	
Dept. of Ind. Relations, boiler inspection	7.50
Ulric Tremblay, labor on roof	4.50
Romeo Goulet, labor on roof	22.50
Edward Roy, labor on roof	10.00
Lacillade Lumber Co., Inc., roofing	4.15
Calder & Richardson, parts for boiler	23.50
Mrs. Louise Tremblay, painting room 1	45.00
Earnest Tremblay, painting room 1	2.13
Mrs. Eustache Goulet, cleaning school	50.00
Miss Alice Goulet, cleaning school	39.10
Eustache Goulet, cleaning school	4.00
Barre Paint & Wallpaper Co., paint	53.46
The R. L. Clark Store, glass	5.10
William Noakes, cleaning windows	3.00
Darling's Service Station, thawing water	20.00
The C. B. Dolge Co., floor wax and sealer	89.25
Whitcomb's, Inc., window shades for room 1	90.00
W. W. Spaulding, drinking fountains and plumbing	67.34
Barre Electric Co., Inc., light bulbs	2.28
Red Comet, Inc., fire extinguishers	35.85
Paris Mfg. Co., teachers desk	67.22
J. L. Hammett Co., pupils desks	169.80
D. E. Worthley, insurance and bonds	172.98
L. P. Simpson, insurance	4.00
Wm. J. Chamberlin, insurance	42.00
Mrs. Doris MacLeod, eye and ear test	12.87
Eustache Goulet, bus driver wages	850.00
Wm. J. Chamberlin, bus driver wages and inspections	683.00
Farm Bureau Mut. Auto. Ins. Co., ins. on buses	25.49
Ellis Johnson, insurance on buses	34.79
Carle & Seaver, Inc., retreads and tires for buses	124.66
Nationwide Mut. Ins. Co., insurance on buses	83.50
A. M. Partridge, oil for bus	.70

Motor Vehicle Dept., registration of buses	20.00
Bud's Chevrolet, Inc., repairs to smal bus	53.12
E. Goulet's Garage, gas, oil and repairs for buses	426.24
Whitney's Cash Grocery, gas for bus	112.82
Johannessen's Cash Grocery, gas for bus	33.09
Miss Clara Riford, census	9.06
Modern Printing Co., report cards	6.68
Treas., Town of Barre School Dist., office supplies	1.09
John McDonald, P. O. box rent	1.05
L. & C. Mayers Co., Inc., grad. speaker's gift	13.13
Montpelier Nat. Bank, loan and interest	5,000.00
Barre Daily Times, Inc., advertising	4.50
Delmer Carpenter, deed for Simpson school	1.50
E. S. and A. H. Brigham, building note and interest	1,041.25
D. C. Davis, interest on building note	27.50
L. D. and L. J. Meredith, int. on building note	27.50
Total Expenditures	$ 31,704.02

SCHOOL DIRECTORS' REPORT

The preceding report has been compiled for your information and judgement and is correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

The cost of operation of the school increased somewhat over the budget in some departments due to the unforeseen increase in enrollment. About 17 new pupils desks were purchased along with 1 new teachers' desk and 2 chairs. Some additional text books had to be purchased to accomodate the new pupils.

The cost of transportation is expected to rise slightly due to the longer routes, caused by new residents and public pressure for more service.

Repairs accomplished during the fiscal year 1955-56 and thus far during the current fiscal year 1956-57 are as follows:

(a) Repainting of Rooms 1 and 2.

(b) Installation of new curtains in Room 1.

(c) Recovering of floors in 4 toilets and hot lunch kitchen.

(d) Installation of new drinking fountains in Rooms 1-2-3-4.

(e) Re-planking of bridge to school.

(f) Installation of new roof over kitchen.

(g) Installation of new hot water heating unit.

The itemized cost of some of these repairs will not show until the next annual report covering the current fiscal year 1956-57.

The sharp increase in the outlay for high school tuition is caused by an estimated increase in enrollment for 1957-58 of 10 pupils coupled with the increased tuition fee of $330.00 for Spaulding High School students. The budget figure includes the full cost of high school tuition, as the school board feels strongly that it should.

The budget figure for teachers' salaries has been increased to cover the proposed legislation regarding minimum wage laws for teachers. If the proposed legislation is defeated, we will still be forced to grant substantial wage increases to maintain an adequate teaching staff. Our present salary scale being near or below the state average, and with serious teacher shortages facing the State, we can ill afford to underestimate the situation.

We, again, wish to express our appreciation, to the school district and to the Parent-Teacher Association for the fine support of the school program.

VERA A. McDONALD,
ROBERT J. McCALLUM,
A. MAURICE PARTRIDGE,
School Directors

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Citizens of Washington:

Supplementing the report of the school directors, which appears elsewhere in the Town Report, I offer the annual statistics with my evaluation of the condition of the town's school.

There has been one change in our teaching staff since last year. Our first and second grade teacher, Clara Riford, after nineteen years of faithful service in the schools of Washington, left to continue her teaching in Williamstown, the town of her residence. Our present staff is as follows:

Bernard A. Wiggin, Principal	Grades 7 and 8
Adeline P. Canales	Grades 5 and 6
Kathryn C. Worthley	Grades 3 and 4
Eunice W. Cahill	Grades 1 and 2

From the following table of enrollments we find that there has been an increase of nearly 12% in the total number of pupils in the Village School since last year:

Year Grades:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Totals
'53-'54	15	14	15	10	11	9	11	6	91
'54-'55	16	15	12	15	10	11	8	11	98
'55-'56	17	18	9	10	15	7	11	7	94
'56-'57	14	20	19	11	9	14	6	12	105

The tuition pupils from the Simpson District, who are attending the East Orange School, are five in number, where last year there were nine.

Our high school enrollment:

	Spaulding	Bradford	Totals
Grade 9	8	2	10
Grade 10	6		6
Grade 11	6		6
Grade 12	2		2
Totals	22	2	24

The following pupils graduated from the eighth grade last June:

Paul E. Beede	Elliot G. Moran	Armond O. Vermette, Jr.
Beverly E. Friot	Elaine A. Seaver	Carolyn F. Webster

The Stanford Achievement Tests, instituted several years ago, have been continued this year in all grades with the use of an additional form of the same test. New spelling books have been purchased for grades two through eight, replacing a series published over fifteen years ago. We found it necessary, also, to provide some additional textbooks due to increased enrollment in the school. To promote the teaching of science, we have provided a "science kit" of materials for simple experiments in the upper grades.

The school board, it seems to me, should be commended for its program of improvement of the school plant and equipment. An annual expenditure for improvements means an even yearly distribution of the cost to the taxpayers, and less liklihood of a large expense in later years.

Below is a table of comparison of school costs, covering a five-year period for the school year, July to July. These cost figures do not include the $1,000 bond payment each year.

School Year	Total Cost	Elementary	Secondary
1951-1952	$ 22,508.51	$ 201.39	$ 154.06
1952-1953	23,210.61	210.47	174.72
1953-1954	24,908.85	198.22	200.20
1954-1955	27,524.86	199.10	230.85
1955-1956	25,769.64	196.90	259.26

The aims of a good school program, as I see it, center around providing the best education the town can afford for its pupils. This means cooperative effort on the part of all concerned. It means:

(1) Provision by the voters of enough tax money to make it possible to run a good school and to furnish full high school tuition.

(2) Wise and careful planning on the part of the School board and superintendent, to get the most out of available funds.

(3) An active community organization such as the Washington Village Parent-Teacher Association to lend its support to major projects such as the lunch program, and to furnish direct contact between the school and the community.

(4) Last, but by no means least, the cooperation and continous efforts of the teaching staff to do just the best possible for each individual child.

These elements I feel have been effective in the Washington Town School District, this past year. We all hope that the same type of school support will be forthcoming during the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

J. NEWTON PERRIN,
Superintendent of Schools

January 16, 1957

VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE

Montpelier, Vermont

This is our twenty-first annual report to the citizens of the Town of Washington on State payments in your municipality of various types of assistance and welfare during 1956.

The total number of recipients in the State has remained reasonably stable for some years. The number aided in the Totally and Permanently Disabled program has continued to increase Old Age Assistance and Blind Assistance caseloads have declined. The impact of the Social Security Insurance programs are a continuing factor in the reduction of case loads as an increasing number of our people attain a fully insured status. The towns and cities participated financially in two of the programs as indicated below. Administrative expenses for the four types of Public Assistance have always been among the lowest in the nation.

Old Age Asistance	$ 14,143.00
Aid to Dependent Children*	1,480.00
Aid to the Disabled	2,352.00
Committed Children**	2,060.69
Total	$ 20,035.69

* One-eighth paid by the town or city unless family is non-settled.
** One-half paid by the town or city unless family is non-settled.

W. ARTHUR SIMPSON,
Commissioner

OVERSEER'S REPORT

William G. Richardson

	Groceries	Fuel or Clothing	Medical & Hospital	Care & Board	Total
Baker, Irene	$	$	$ 192.25	$	$ 192.25
Brooks, Philip			1,046.42		1,046.42
Brooks, Lillian			410.00		410.00
Lemieux, Ethel	22.72				22.72
Lemieux, Eugene			37.60		37.60
Lemieux, Norma	5.00	F. 106.96	228.62		340.58
Leno, Harold			56.95		56.95
Moran, Henry			64.65		64.65
Morris, Henry			261.51		261.51
Parker, Robert			157.55		157.55
Perkins, Ralph	180.78	C. 24.49	47.45		252.72
Pero, Dean	176.15				176.15
Richardson, Day			255.42	395.60	651.02
Senecal, William			223.10		223.10
Senecal, Wilfred			237.40		237.40
Shepard, Mrs. Sam			189.75		189.75
Smith, Claire		C. 123.97			123.97
Soucy, Charles	43.88	F. 9.00	37.10		89.98
Tucker, Donald			184.46		184.46
Webster, Ernest			152.00		152.00
Webster, Reginald			14.00		14.00
Webster, Rudolph			198.13		198.13
Widmer			498.20		498.20
	$ 428.53	$ 264.42	$4,492.56	$ 395.60	$ 5,581.11

A. D. C. Tax	137.40
Dept. of Social Welfare, Acct. Dickey Children	1,049.43
Rachel Beede — Transportation to Chelsea	3.00
W. G. Richardson — Services and expenses	23.00
Total orders drawn	$ 6,793.94
Refunds:	
State of Vermont — Henry Morris Account	261.51
Barre City Hospital — Henry Morris account	10.00
Jose Monte — Kenneth Lemieux account	96.30
Jose Monte — Eugene Lemieux account	12.70
Jose Monte — Henry Moran account	16.60
	$ 6,396.83

SELECTMEN'S ROAD ORDERS

Unselected Highways

Job No. 1 — V. U. Duranleau, Foreman

V. U. Duranleau, foreman and labor 142 hrs. @ $1.15	$ 163.30
V. U. Duranleau, truck 126 hrs. @ $1.20	151.20
V. U. Duranleau, 6 yds. truck and driver @ $5.00	420.00
V. U. Duranleau, tractor and shovel @ $3.00	174.00
V. U. Duranleau, diesel tractor @ $3.00	33.00
V. U. Duranleau, chain saw 6 hrs. @ $1.50	9.00
Ray McMahon, labor 98 hrs. @ $1.00	98.00
Marcel Lajeunesse, labor 44 hrs. @ $1.00	44.00
Cornelius Webster, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
B. O. Spencer, labor, 27 hrs. @ $1.00	27.00
Carroll Duranleau, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
Stanley Davis, labor 36 hrs. @ $1.00	36.00
J. F. Lamson, 6 yd. truck and driver @ $5.00	155.00
W. B. Martin, 6 yd. truck and driver @ $5.00	135.00
W. B. Martin, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.35	117.45
W. B. Martin, 4 yd. truck and driver @ $3.70	99.90
Town of Orange, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.35	78.30
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.35	117.45
Donald Seaver, 4 yd. truck and driver @ $3.70	25.90
Caselini-Venable Corp., jack hammer 3 hrs. @ $2.00	6.00
Flint Bros. Lumber Co., 10 pieces of 6 inch. tile	14.50
New England Metal Culvert Co., one culvert	86.59
J. F. Lamson, 1,486 yds. gravel @ .50	743.00
Town of Washington, power saw 9 hrs. @ $2.00	18.00
Town of Washington, grader 22 hrs. @ $3.00	66.00
Total of Job No. 1	$ 2,836.59

This work was done on the Creamery road. One new culvert was put in and ditches made on the first 0.3 miles and graveled an average of 12 inches deep at a cost of $1.49 per yard, with a 6.5 mile haul. The remainder of the road was resurfaced in the same job.

Job No. 2 — V. U. Duranleau, Foreman

V. U. Duranleau, foreman and labor 325 hrs. @ $1.15	$ 373.75
V. U. Duranleau, truck 256 hrs. @ $1.20	307.20

V. U. Duranleau, 6 yd. truck 20 hrs. @ $3.60	72.00
V. U. Duranleau, 6 yd. truck and driver @ $5.00	20.00
V. U. Duranleau, tractor 18 hrs. @ $2.00	36.00
V. U. Duranleau, tractor and shovel @ $3.00	228.00
V. U. Duranleau, chain saw @ $1.50	3.00
V. U. Duranleau, 90 yds. sand @ .35	31.50
Oliver LaPerle, bulldozer and operator @ $9.00	540.00
Lee Bishop, chain saw, 72 hrs. @ $1.50	108.00
Lee Bishop, labor 104 hrs. @ $1.00	104.00
Henry Moran, labor 181 hrs. @ $1.00	181.00
H. LaRochelle, labor 136 hrs. @ $1.00	136.00
Arthur Polvine, labor 99 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
Marcel Lajeunesse, labor 97 hrs. @ $1.00	97.00
Ray McMahon, labor 186 hrs. @ $1.00	186.00
Carroll Duranleau, labor 32 hrs. @ $1.00	32.00
Cornelius Webster, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
Vernon Payne, labor 76 hrs. @ .75	57.00
Stanley Davis, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
Town of Washington, grader 6 hrs. @ $3.00	18.00
Casellini-Venable, jack hammer @ $2.00	44.00
Vt. Explosives Co., dynamite and caps	25.63
Reynolds & Son, barbed wire and staples	51.05
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts	882.35
Total of Job No. 2	$ 3,560.48

This work was done on the Hart Hollow road. ½ mile was widened and culverts were put in. No graveling was done this year.

Job No. 3 — V. U. Duranleau, Foreman

V. U. Duranleau, foreman and labor 191 hrs. @ $1.15	$ 219.65
V. U. Duranleau, truck 148 hrs. @ $1.20	177.60
V. U. Duranleau, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.35	221.85
V. U. Duranleau, 6 yd. truck and driver @ $5.00	475.00
V. U. Duranleau, diesel tractor @ $3.00	96.00
V. U. Duranleau, tractor and mower @ $3.00	9.00
Harry Londry, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.35	304.50
J. F. Lamson, 6 yd. truck and driver @ $5.00	165.00
Armond Laquierre, 5 yd. truck and driver @ 4.35	39.15
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.35	21.75
Lee Bishop, chain saw 23 hrs. @ $1.50	34.50
Lee Bishop, labor 68½ hrs. @ $1.00	68.50
Henry Moran, labor 71½ hrs. @ $1.00	71.50
Ray McMahon, labor 114 hrs. @ $1.00	114.00
Carroll Duranleau, labor 3 hrs. @ $1.00	3.00
Stanley Davis, labor 10 hrs. @ $1.00	10.00

Town of Washington, power saw @ $2.00	4.00
Town of Washington, grader 2 hrs. @ $3.00	6.00
Vt. Explosives, dynamite and caps	4.95
Oliver LaPerle, bulldozer and operator @ $9.00	234.00
New England Metal Culvert Co., two culverts	148.25
J. F. Lamson, 1,290 yds. gravel @ .50	645.00
Total of Job No. 3	$ 3,073.20

This work was done on the Lawrence Morrie road. Widening started in '55 finished. Two culverts installed. 626 yds. of gravel put on last 0.2 miles 16′ x 12″. The rest 664 yds. was put on the first 0.6 miles 16′ x 4″. Cost of graveling with a 9.1 mile haul was $1.64 per yd.

Total unselected	$ 9,470.27
Received from Town of Orange	70.76
Received from State	2,625.00
Due from State	6,775.50

STATE AID RESURFACING

Stanley Davis, Foreman

Stanley Davis, foreman and labor 21 hrs. @ $1.15	$ 24.15
Stanley Davis, truck 1 hr. @ $1.20	1.20
J. F. Lamson, 6 yd. truck and driver @ $5.00	80.00
V. U. Duranleau, 6 yd. truck and driver @ $5.00	75.00
Town of Orange, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.35	143.55
Donald Seaver, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.35	126.15
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.35	65.25
Wm. Scott, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.35	8.70
B. O. Spencer, labor 42 hrs. @ $1.00	42.00
Douglas Beede, labor, 1 hr. @ $1.00	1.00
Town of Washington, grader 17 hrs. @ $3.00	51.00
J. F. Lamson, 576 yds. gravel @ .50	288.00
Total Spent	$ 906.00
Received from State	603.00
Received from Town Tax	303.00

This work was done on McDonald Hill. About 0.4 mile was resurfaced at a cost of $1.57 per yd.

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION — GAS TAX

Stanley Davis, Foreman

Work done on Corinth road. Work consisted of cutting brush and trees, widening roadway subbase, cutting ditches where necessary, sloping banks and using excavation for fill, hauling 3,968 yds. of fill from bank on job to bring sub-base up, and installing 9 culverts and extending one. This work cost $4,528.34. 1,452 yds. of gravel was put on first 0.6 miles of this job from South Barre (11 mile haul) 18 ft. wide by an average depth of 8 inches at a cost of $2,536.76 or $1.75 per yd.

Stanley Davis, foreman and labor 333 hrs. @ 1.15 $	382.95
Stanley Davis, truck 11 hrs. @ $1.20	13.20
Stanley Davis, 4 yd. truck 63 hrs. @ $2.40	151.20
Eugene Lemieux, labor 103 hrs. @ $1.00	103.00
Steven Beede, labor 110½ hrs. @ $1.00	110.50
Douglas Beede, labor 117 hrs. @ $1.00	117.00
Carl Fitts, labor 152½ hrs. @ $1.00	152.50
Lawrence Fitts, labor 143½ hrs. @ $1.00	143.50
B. O. Spencer, labor 45 hrs. @ $1.00	45.00
Uric Trembley, labor 16 hrs. @ $1.00	16.00
A. C. Beede, labor, 35 hrs. @ $1.00	35.00
A. C. Beede, tractor and shovel 9 hrs. @ $3.00	36.00
A. C. Beede, truck 8 hrs. @ $1.20	9.60
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.00	206.00
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.35	210.98
A. C. Beede, bulldozer and operator @ $7.00	983.00
A. C. Beede, chain saw @ $1.50	22.50
V. U. Duranleau, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.00	252.00
V. U. Duranleau, 6 yd. truck and driver @ $5.00	71.25
Town of Orange, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.00	108.00
Town of Orange, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.35	117.45
J. F. Lamson, 6 yd. truck and driver @ $5.00	360.00
Donald Seaver, 4 yd. truck and driver @ $3.70	159.10
W. B. Martin, 6 yd. truck and driver @ $5.00	225.00
W. B. Martin, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.35	191.40
W. B. Martin, 4 yd. truck and driver @ $3.70	157.25
Town of Washington, power saw @ $2.00	58.00
Town of Washington, grader 53 hrs. @ $3.00	159.00
Williamstown Grain Co., one culvert	123.24
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts	731.71
Joseph LaPerle, 3,968 yds. fill @ .03	119.04
J. F. Lamson, 1,452 yds. gravel @ .50	726.00

Vt. Explosives Co., ditching dynamite and caps	41.26
Dwight McCullough, shovel and operator @ $7.50	727.50
Total Spent	$ 7,065.13
Received from State	7,065.13

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Stanley Davis, Foreman

This work done on Corinth road near town line. Work consisted of cutting brush and trees and replacing a stone box culvert with a metal culvert 50 ft. by 42 inches.

Stanley Davis, foreman and labor 29 hrs. @ $1.15		$ 33.35
Steven Beede, labor 24 hrs. @ $1.00		24.00
Douglas Beede, labor 21 hrs. @ $1.00		21.00
Uric Trembley, labor 18 hrs. @ $1.00		18.00
Carl Fitts, labor 33 hrs. @ $1.00		33.00
Lawrence Fitts, labor 29 hrs. @ $1.00		29.00
Roland Huntington, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00		9.00
A. C. Beede, chain saw 7 hrs. @ $1.50		10.50
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck 10 hrs. @ $4.35		43.50
E. O. Morin, 6 yd. truck 7½ hrs. @ $5.00		37.50
W. B. Martin, truck moving bulldozer		30.00
Town of Washington, power saw @ $2.00		10.00
J. F. Lamson, 38 yds. of gravel @ .50		19.00
New England Metal Culvert Co., 1-42″ culvert		547.38
State Treas., bulldozer and 2 men as follows		190.93
H. C. Clark, 15 hrs. @ $2.18	$ 32.70	
Forrest Thurston, 24 hrs. @ $1.21 and $1.39	32.28	
Bulldozer, 14 hrs. @ $8.30	116.20	
Vacation and sick leave	5.85	
Compensation Insurance	1.30	
Retirement	2.60	
Total Spent		$ 1,056.16
Due from State		1,056.16

SELECTED SNOW ROADS 1955-56

Town of Washington, grader 51 hrs. @ $3.50	$	178.50
Stanley Davis, labor 55 hrs. @ $1.00		55.00
Carroll Beede, truck and plow @ $4.35		265.38
Carroll Beede, truck and V plow @ $4.60		94.30
Carroll Beede, truck 23 hrs. @ $3.35		77.05
Carroll Beede, truck 4½ hrs. @ $1.20		5.40
Carroll Beede, labor 109 hrs. @ $1.00		109.00
Eugene Lemieux, labor 10 hrs. @ $1.00		10.00
Eugene Lemieux, helper 32½ hrs. @ .75		24.38
Thomas Randall, helper 15½ hrs. @ .75		16.51
Winston Rogers, helper 5½ hrs. @ .75		4.13
Lee Bishop, helper 31½ hrs. @ .75		23.63
Richard Beede, helper 4½ hrs. @ .75		3.38
Douglas Beede, labor 3 hrs. @ $1.00		3.00
Steven Beede, labor 3 hrs. @ $1.00		3.00
Chester Beede, labor 4 hrs. @ $1.00		4.00
John McDonald, labor 2 hrs. @ $1.00		2.00
A. C. Beede, bulldozer and operator @ $6.50		26.00
A. C. Beede, truck and plow @ $3.50		5.25
A. C. Beede, one way plow @ $1.00		23.00
A. C. Beede, labor 1½ hrs. @ $1.00		1.50
Town of Orange, grader 5 hrs. @ $6.50		32.50
Town of Orange, 36 yds. of sand @ .10		3.60
Town of Washington, 2 tons of salt		41.20
Total Jan. 1 to May 1	$	1,016.51
Total in 1955 report		263.03
Total 1955-56	$	1,279.54

The States share of the cost shall not exceed one-half the cost of keeping these roads open for motor traffic nor shall it exceed an average of fifty dollars per mile. There are 12.06 miles in town.

Received from State	$	603.00
Cost to Town	$	676.54

UNSELECTED SNOW ROADS 1955-56

Stanley Davis, Foreman

Town of Washington, grader and wing @ $3.50	$	833.00

Stanley Davis, labor 256 hrs. @ $1.00	256.00
Carroll Beede, truck and V Plow @ $4.60	250.70
Carroll Beede, truck and plow @ $4.35	389.34
Carroll Beede, truck 22½ hrs. @ $3.35	75.38
Carroll Beede, truck 8 hrs. @ $1.20	9.60
Carroll Beede, labor 173 hrs. @ $1.00	173.00
Eugene Lemieux, helper 39½ hrs. @ $1.00	39.50
Eugene Lemieux, helper 38½ hrs. @ .75	28.88
Thomas Randall, helper 11½ hrs. @ .75	8.63
Thomas Randall, labor 2 hrs. @ $1.00	2.00
Lee Bishop, helper 65 hrs. @ .75	48.75
Lee Bishop, labor 2 hrs. @ $1.00	2.00
Winston Rogers, helper 7½ hrs. @ .75	5.63
Richard Beede, labor 4 hrs. @ $1.00	4.00
Richard Beede, helper 1½ hrs. @ .75	1.13
Douglas Beede, labor 12½ hrs. @ $1.00	12.50
Steven Beede, labor 14½ hrs. @ $1.00	14.50
Lawrence Beede, labor 6 hrs. @ $1.00	6.00
A. C. Beede, labor 3 hrs. @ $1.00	3.00
A. C. Beede, truck 12 hrs. @ $1.20	14.40
A. C. Beede, truck and plow @ $3.50	3.50
A. C. Beede, plow 22½ hrs. @ $1.00	22.50
A. C. Beede, loader 15 yds. @ .25	3.75
A. C. Beede, bulldozer and operator @ $6.50	227.50
Michael Gamble, labor 4 hrs. @ $1.00	4.00
M. B. Royce, labor 10 hrs. @ $1.00	10.00
Clifton Pray, self and team @ $2.00	34.00
Town of Orange, grader 4 hrs. @ $6.50	26.00
Town of Orange, tractor 2 hrs. @ $6.50	13.00
Town of Williamstown, tractor @ $9.00	126.00
Town of Williamstown, grader $6.00	60.00
Town of Chelsea, grader	180.50
Total Spent Jan. 1 to May 1	$ 2,888.69
Amount from 1955 report	237.31
Total 1955-56 winter	$ 3,126.00

The amount to be paid by the State shall not exceed the amount actually expended by the town, nor exceed $25. per mile of roads plowed for motor travel. 35.78 miles plowed.

Received from State	894.50
Cost to the Town	$ 2,231.50

UNSELECTED SNOW WINTER 1956-57

Town has not paid this account.

Town of Washington, grader @ $3.00		160.50
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.35		30.45
A. C. Beede, truck 11 hrs. @ $1.20		13.20
C. W. Beede, labor 7 hrs. @ $1.00		7.00
Kenneth Beede, labor 3 hrs. @ $1.00		3.00
Lawrence Beede, labor 4 hrs. @ $1.00		4.00
Roland Huntington, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00		9.00
Lawrence Fitts, labor 4 hrs. @ $1.00		4.00
J. F. Lamson, 20 yds. sand @ .50		10.00
Town of Washington, ½ ton salt @ $20.60		10.30
Total to Dec. 29	$	251.45

SELECTED SNOW ROADS 1956-57

Town has not paid this account.

Town of Washington, grader @ $3.00	$	49.50
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver @ $4.35		21.75
J. F. Lamson, 20 yds. sand @ .50		10.00
Town of Washington, ½ ton salt @ $20.60		10.30
Total to Dec. 29	$	91.55

ROAD COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

Selected Maintenance

Labor

V. U. Duranleau, Foreman			
Labor and driver 98 hrs. @ $1.15	$	112.70	
Henry Moran, 67 hrs. @ $1.00		67.00	
Ray McMahon, 38 hrs. @ .75		28.50	
Ray McMahon, 18 hrs. @ $1.00		18.00	
Carroll Duranleau, 23 hrs. @ $1.00		23.00	
Marcel Lajeunesse, 9 hrs. @ $1.00		9.00	
Lawrence Fitts, 9 hrs. @ $1.00		9.00	
		$	267.20

Trucks

V. U. Duranleau, 6 yds. 8 hrs. @ 3.60	$ 28.80	
V. U. Duranleau, 79 hrs. @ $1.20	94.80	
		123.60

Driver

Stanley Davis, 114 hrs. @ $1.00	$ 114.00	
		114.00

Town Grader

85 hrs. @ $3.00	$ 255.00	
		255.00
V. U. Duranleau, diesel tractor 3 hrs. @ $3.00	$ 9.00	
		9.00
V. U. Duranleau, chain saw 2 hrs. @ $1.50	$ 3.00	
		3.00

Total Expenditures	$ 771.80
Received from Town Tax	871.94

VICTOR DURANLEAU,
Road Commissioner

Unselected Maintenance

Labor

V. U. Duranleau, 98 hrs. @ $1.15	$ 112.70	
Carroll Duranleau, 24 hrs. @ $1.00	24.00	
Marcel Lajeunesse, 62 hrs. @ $1.00	62.00	
Ray McMahon, 20 hrs. @ .75	15.00	
Denny McHugh, 9 hrs. @ .75	6.75	
A. C. Beede, 2 hrs. @ $1.00	2.00	
Henry Moran, 77 hrs. @ $1.00	77.00	
		$ 299.45

Drivers

V. U. Duranleau, 233½ hrs. @ $1.15	$ 268.52	
Carroll Duranleau, 50 hrs. @ $1.00	50.00	
Stanley Davis, 150½ hrs. @ $1.00	150.50	
A. C. Beede, 1½ hrs. @ $1.00	1.50	
		470.52

Trucks

V. U. Duranleau, 118 hrs. @ $1.20	$ 141.60	
V. U. Duranleau, 106½ hrs. @ $3.60	383.40	
A. C. Beede, 1½ hrs. @ $2.40	3.60	
		528.60

Town Grader and Tractor

Town Grader, 13½ hrs. @ $3.00	$ 394.50	
V. U. Duranleau, diesel tractor 92 hrs. @ $3.00	$ 276.00	
		670.50

Team and Driver

M. B. Boyce and team 14 hrs. @ $2.00	$ 28.00	
		28.00

Gravel Loaded

J. F. Lamson, 88 yds. @ .50	$ 44.00	
Levi Lemieux, 100 yds. .40	40.00	
Dwight McCullough, 24 yds. @ .35	8.40	
		92.40
Galv. Coupling 12″ @ $1.66	$ 1.66	
		1.66

Total Expenditures	$ 2,091.13
Received from Town Tax	$ 2,092.66

VICTOR DURANLEAU,
Road Commissioner

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

	Principal	Accrued	Current	Total	Exp.	Balance
General Fund	$2,675.00	53.51	53.50	107.01	53.50	53.51
Peoples Nat. Bank	3,672.12	106.03	93.37	199.40	131.50	67.89
Burlington S. & L.	1,934.53	74.64	58.46	133.10	58.46	74.64
Granite Sav. Bank	4,985.00	127.00	127.38	254.38	63.48	190.90

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Year Ending Dec. 31, 1956

Expenditures

Perpetual Care		
Labor		
Lee Kingsbury, 349 hrs. @ $1.00		$ 349.00
General		
Labor		
Lee Kingsbury, 60 hrs. @ $1.00	$ 60.00	
Ora Eastman, 10 hrs. @ $1.00	10.00	
M. B. Royce, 8 hrs. @ $1.00	8.00	
Nathan Flint, Commissioner	20.00	
Lee Kingsbury, Commissioner	20.00	
Gordon Ladd, Commissioner	20.00	
		138.00
Repairs, Supplies and Equipment		
Demers Repair Shop	$ 12.30	
Lee Kingsbury, mower repairs	9.90	
Gasoline and oil	10.35	
Fertilizer and seed	6.63	
		39.18
Total General Expenses		$ 177.18

This year we have continued the policy of maintaining the town's cemeteries in as good condition as possible within the limits of the funds available. We have also tried to make some improvements of a long range nature as in past years. The announced higher interest rates will increase slightly the return on perpetual care trust funds. However, the size of many of the funds is not sufficient to pay for the kind of care desired. We feel that rules must be established requiring a minimum deposit for perpetual care. It is also becoming increasingly apparent that regulations controlling the installation of monuments, markers, and corner stones will soon be necessary if the lots are to be maintained without excessive expense. We wish to thank all those who have helped us to do a good job.

LEE R. KINGSBURY,
GORDON H. LADD,
NATHAN W. FLINT,
Cemetery Commissioners

CALEF MEMORIAL LIBRARY FUND

William J. Chamberlin, Treasurer

Receipts

1956			
Jan. 1	Cash on hand	$	212.84
Jan. 3	Cash from Peoples Nat'l Bank, interest on Trust Fund		72.33
Jan. 30	American Tel. & Tel., dividend		13.50
Apr. 26	American Tel. & Tel., dividend		13.50
July 2	Cash from Peoples Nat'l Bank, interest on Trust Fund		84.98
Aug. 9	American Tel. & Tel. dividend		13.50
Oct. 22	American Tel. & Tel., dividend and rights		53.34
Dec. 31	Cash, annual appropriation from Town of Washington		125.00
Dec. 31	Cash from Braley and White Tr. Fund		40.00
	Total Receipts	$	628.99

Disbursements

Books and Magazines	$	7.50
Librarian's Salary		150.00
Fuel and Lights		56.98
Janitor and Cleaning		58.00
Insurance		63.04
File, cards, tape		32.71
Total Disbursements	$	368.23
Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1956		260,76
	$	628.99

Calef Endowment Funds Handled by Peoples National Bank

Rec'd int. on Scranton Springbrook Water Serv.	$	83.75
Rec'd int. on U. S. Savings Bond, Series G		18.75
Rec'd int. on So. Bell Tel. and Tel. Co.		28.75
Rec'd int. on Duquesne Light Co.		27.50
Rec'd int. on Savings Account No. 17521, Peoples Nat'l Bank		4.76
	$	163.51

1956			
July 2	Paid Treas. Washington Public Library	$	84.98
1957			
Jan. 2	Paid Treas. Washington Public Library		78.53
		$	163.51

Investments

3M Scranton Springbrook Water Service 2⅞-76	$	3,048.75
1M Duquesne Light Co., 2¾-77		970.00
1M So. Bell Tel. & Tel. Co., 2⅞-87		965.00
$500 U. S. Savings Bond Series G, 2½-60		500.00
Savings Acct. No. 17521, Peoples Nat'l Bank		161.39
6 shares Am. Tel. & Tel. Co., common (held by trustees)		960.00
Savings Acct., Peoples Bank, No. 9790		212.87
	$	6,818.01

DELINQUENT TAXES

	Poll	Personal
Baker, Irene	$ 11.73	
Bates, Gladys		$ 18.41
Ballard, Eugene and Belle	29.36	219.82
Bellville, Fred and Virginia		86.72
Benson, Herbert and Elizabeth		299.02
Biachi, Rildo and Irio		96.35
Bishop, Lee and Emma	29.36	
Braman, Frank and Susie		38.56
Braley, Burnace and Hazel	27.30	3.59
Calevro, Dante and Andrew		19.31
Camire, Nelson		2.75
Carrier, Armand and D.		23.93
Coddington, Albert		115.61
Colby, Kenneth		1.25
Cutler, Mark		13.34
Clough, Carroll		91.54

Danforth, Freda	11.91	
Davenport, Arthur and June	41.09	204.95
Demas, Leona		9.55
Denison, Edgar		18.49
Downing, Lloyd		84.22
Downing, Ralph and Cecelia		88.65
Doyle, John and Bertha		19.99
Doyle, Leo and Betty		82.50
Doyle, John Jr.	11.73	
Duff, Richard		6.95
Edson, Leo and Delsie		26.09
Fitts, Lawrence	6.91	
French, Est., John W.		2.63
Gallant, Durwood	11.77	
Goodspeed, Rose	9.65	
Girelli, Enrico and Ladinia		38.57
Hatch, Clyde and Edna	73.02	53.63
Hatch, Neal and Beverly	29.36	
Hutchinson, Clyde and Verle	73.00	29.34
Hutchinson, Delmer and Arlene	29.36	337.36
Howard, Clinton and Solvejy		4.78
Hunter, Louis and Tyler		1.83
Ibey, Lloyd and Evelyn		144.50
Keith, Ralph		44.14
Ladd, Harry	11.73	91.59
LaFountain, Forrest and Lena	52.82	68.08
Lamphear, Addison and Joyce	23.46	
Lathrop, Robert	11.73	
Lathrop, Emma, Est.		9.68
LaPerle, Joseph and Helen		86.73
Lambert, Albert		9.68
Lemieux, Theresa	11.05	
Leno, Harold	11.05	
Lemieux, Eugene	12.68	
Lemieux, Ethel		51.62
McClellan, Archie	11.73	145.36
McKane, Margaret	14.68	
Moran, Henry and Pauline	29.36	356.24
Moran, Robert and Doris	29.36	
Morey, Merton and Gertrude		17.41

Morris, Henry and Marjorie	47.28	11.33
Nelson, Priscilla		26.73
Payne, Marjorie	11.73	
Pecor, Ruth and Ernest	19.30	
Pero, Dean and Helen	11.73	13.07
Richardson, Will		556.77
Randall, Thomas	14.68	
Renfrew, Alex and Victoria	29.36	96.43
Rural Gas Service		4.67
Senecal, Exzelia		12.70
Senecal, Wm. and Shirley		211.22
Senecal, Wilfred and Rose	18.88	
Shepard, Deborah (Coburn)	17.65	124.85
Shepard, Sam	7.20	
Shepard, Robert	11.91	
Smith, Marcia, Est.		501.67
Stacey, Elizabeth	8.65	
Stacey, Harold		163.76
Taylor, Bert		43.39
Trombly, Norman and Hazel	12.52	
Tucker, John		60.81
Verge, Vernon and Monica		12.15
Walker, Warren		2.75
Webster, Rudolph	11.73	
Webster, Reginald and Audrey	29.36	62.65
White, Daniel	19.30	
Wilder, Laura	11.77	
Wilmott, Linwood		98.02
Wilmott, Viola	23.64	
Wischebrink, George		271.80

STATEMENT OF DELINQUENT TAXES

December 31, 1956

Real Estate and Personal Property

Year	Received for Collection	Collections 1956	Balance Dec. 31, 1956
1939	$ 39.77		$ 39.77
1940	72.45		72.45
1941	75.35		75.35
1942	86.70		86.70
1945	29.34		29.34
1947	18.68		18.68
1949	68.96		68.96
1950	81.54		81.54
1951	28.45		28.45
1952	286.83	144.49	142.34
1953	414.28	135.07	279.21
1954	1,229.72	366.72	863.00
1955	1,997.99	985.89	1,012.10
1956	2,906.65	364.96	2,541.69
Totals	$ 7,336.71	$ 1,997.13	$ 5,339.58

Polls

1945	$ 21.60		$ 21.60
1947	25.95		25.95
1948	27.00		27.00
1949	48.25		48.25
1950	31.95		31.95
1952	23.54		23.54
1953	56.72	$ 22.10	34.62
1954	151.21	40.67	110.54
1955	492.66	266.13	226.53
1956	585.20	213.29	371.91
Total	$ 1,464.08	$ 542.19	$ 921.89

REPORT OF STATE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

During the year ending December 31, 1956, 51 visits were made in behalf of the residents of Washington. These visits were concerned with the communicable disease and preventive health services offered by the State Department of Health.

Among the services rendered were three infant and preschool conferences with a total of 19 children receiving physical examinations. The immunization given was 3 Smallpox vaccinations; 12 Diphtheria-Tetanus-Whooping Cough; and 5 Diphtheria-Tetanus.

The school health conference requested by the school board this fall was not held due to the inability to secure the services of a physician.

Salk Polio Vaccine clinics were held and 213 shots were given; with 42 children having received the prescribed three shots of vaccine. Salk polio vaccine is available through state sponsored clinics or at physicians' offices.

Under the communicable disease program, clinics were conducted for chest x-rays without cost for persons referred by their family physician.

The public health nurse assisted with referrals to state, voluntary, social, and health agencies.

The above programs were carried out through the interest and cooperation of physicians, nurses, official, and voluntary groups in the community.

The Public Health Nurse for the Town of Washington is: Mrs. Dorothy S. Brown, R. N., PHN District Office, Department of Health, State Office Bldg., Montpelier, Vt.

Respectfully submitted,

MISS DORIS M. FISH, R. N.,
Supervisor, Public Health Nursing

VITAL STATISTICS

Marriages

1956	Groom and Bride	Residence	By Whom Married
Feb. 18—	Anthony C. Marro Lena Huntington (Jacobs)	Ludlow, Vt. Washington, Vt.	Rev. D. B. Johnston Congregational
June 9—	Hilton J. Davis Eva M. Cassidy	Washington, Vt. Randolph, Vt.	Charles W. Saum Methodist
June 16—	Earl Farnsworth Lena Chouinard	Washington, Vt. Island Pond, Vt.	Rev. J. H. Dussault R. Catholic
June 30—	Roger J. Cyr Betty Randall	Washington, Vt. Washington, Vt.	Rev. J. H. Dussault R. Catholic
July 7—	Francis E. Butler Mabel G. Downing	Orange, Vt. Washington, Vt.	Albert E. Parker Congregational
Sept. 15—	Albert Dupont Phoebe Colby	Washington, Vt. Barre, Vt.	R. B. Painchaud Baptist
Oct. 6—	Rufus K. Royce Nancy A. Kennedy	Washington, Vt. Chelsea, Vt.	John T. Anderson Congregational
Oct. 27—	William C. Royce Patricia L. Melvin	Washington, Vt. Chelsea, Vt.	Glen E. Rodgers Congregational

Deaths

Date	Name	Sex	Age	Last Residence
Jan. 15—	Florence Farnsworth	F	65	Washington, Vt.
Mar. 18—	I. D. Richardson	M		Washington, Vt.
May 26—	Gertrude Carpenter	F	76	Washington, Vt.

WARNING

The legal voters of the Town and Town School District of Washington, Vermont, are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town Hall on the 5th of March A. D. 1957 at 10:00 o'clock A. M. to act on the following articles:

Art. 1. To elect all necessary officers for the Town and Town School District for the ensuing year by Australian Ballot. The ballot will close at 2:00 o'clock P. M.

Art. 2. Shall license for the sale of malt and vinous beverages be granted in this Town?

Shall spirituous liquors be sold in this Town?

Art. 3. To hear and act upon the reports of the several Town Officers.

Art. 4. To see if the town will authorize its Selectmen to appoint a Road Commissioner? And if so, whether one or two shall be appointed.

Art. 5. What amount of tax will the Town vote for the current expenses for the ensuing year? Also what amount of tax for the Maintenance of highways? What amount of tax to apply on indebtedness?

Art. 6. When will Poll Taxes be due? When will real estate and personal property taxes be due? Shall interest be added to delinquent taxes?

Art. 7. Will the Town vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of taxes and other revenue.

Art. 8. To vote a compensation for the Town Officers.

Art. 9. Shall the employees come under the Compensation act and the benefits thereof?

Art. 10. Shall the names of the delinquent tax payers, the year and the amount be printed in the Town Report?

Art. 11. Will the Town vote to continue using the Gas Tax money on the State Aid system as provided by No. 209 of the Acts of 1955?

Art. 12. Will the Town vote to exempt from taxes new dwelling houses in Town? What number of years? This is to be in accordance with the provisions of No. 15 of the Public Acts of 1953.

The Town Meeting is hereby recessed and the Town School District meeting to be called to order, to act upon the following articles:

Art. 1. What amount will the Town School District vote to pay for Tuition for High School Students?

Art. 2. What amount of Tax will the Town School District vote for support of schools for the ensuing year? Also to raise money to apply on the indebtedness of the School District refunding serial notes?

To do any other necessary and proper business.

STANLEY DAVIS,
KENNETH SEAVER,
ARTHUR C. BEEDE,
Selectmen of Washington

Not Official.

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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OFFICERS

For the Year Ending
December 31, 1957

TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator ..... GORDON LADD
Town Clerk and Treasurer ..... D. E. CARPENTER
Selectman (term expires 1958) ..... KENNETH SEAVER
Selectman (term expires 1959) ..... ARTHUR BEEDE
Selectman (term expires 1960) .. MARSHALL WEBSTER
Lister (term expires 1958) ..... LAWRENCE MORRIE
Lister (term expires 1959) ..... WM. CHAMBERLIN
Lister (term expires 1960) ..... CLARENCE BEEDE
School Directors:
(term expires 1958) ..... A. MAURICE PARTRIDGE
(term expires 1959) ..... VERA MacDONALD
(term expires 1960) ..... JASON HART
Auditor (term expires 1958) .... *MARJORIE BRESETTE
Auditor (term expires 1959) ..... GORDON LADD
Auditor (term expires 1960) ..... PHYLLIS FLINT
Town Agent ..... D. E. CARPENTER
Constable and Tax Collector ..... FORREST TUCKER
Overseer of Poor ..... W. G. RICHARDSON
Road Commissioner ..... U. V. DURANLEAU
Library Trustee (1958) ..... ALPHEUS MASON
Library Trustee (1959) ..... KATHRYN WORTHLEY
Library Trustee (1960) ..... WM. CHAMBERLIN
Library Trustee (1961) ..... MABEL SEAVER
Library Trustee (1962) ..... MYRTLE SPENCER
Cemetery Commissioner (1958) ..... LEE KINGSBURY
Cemetery Commissioner (1959) ..... GORDON LADD
Cemetery Commissioner (1960) ..... NATHAN FLINT
Justices of the Peace:
A. BEEDE, G. LADD, FAY DEBERVILLE,
W. G. RICHARDSON, C. M. FLINT
Notaries Public ..... D. E. CARPENTER
Representative to General Assembly ..... ARLENE LADD
Town Fire Warden ..... D. E. CARPENTER
Old Age Assistance Investigator ..... D. E. CARPENTER
Fence Viewers .... F. DEBERVILLE, W. G. RICHARDSON,
M. B. ROYCE
Pound Keepers ..... L. DOWNING, U. V. DURANLEAU,
M. B. ROYCE

AUDITOR'S REPORT

Comparative Financial Statements
Two Years Ending Dec. 31, 1957

General Fund

Assets

	1956	1957
Cash, on hand and in banks	$ 1,115.01	$ 4,278.02
Delinquent Taxes	6,261.47*	4,350.97
Delinquent Lease Land Rent	67.40	94.38
McClellan Mortgage Note, plus int. '56	273.65	258.16
Balance in Grader Account	1,037.96	1,486.62
Due from State of Vermont	7,831.66	
Refund Due		4.80
	$ 16,587.15*	$ 10,472.95

Liabilities

First National Bank, 4%	$ 1,000.00	$ 1,000.00
Lamoille County Bk. & Tr. Co., 3%	4,000.00	3,000.00
Montpelier Savings Bank, 4%	10,800.00	3,000.00
Montpelier Savings Bank, 3½%	5,000.00	8,000.00
Montpelier Savings Bank, 3%	4,000.00	3,000.00
L. D. and Laura Meredith, 3½%	2,000.00	2,000.00
Peoples Nat. Bank, grader notes 2½%	7,120.00	6,440.00
Ballou Adams Co. Bonds, 2½%	4,000.00	3,000.00
Money for which town is liable:		
Cemetery perpetual care fund	2,675.00	2,675.00
Interest on funds	53.51	133.76
Cemetery funds unexpended	19.48	35.17
Taxes due school district	1,402.15	
Library fund 5%	800.00	800.00
Town Officer's Salaries	370.00*	385.00

Accts. Payable (Overseer of Poor)		1,929.42
Accts. Payable (Snow Roads)	343.00	58.25
	$ 43,583.14*	$ 35,456.60
Jan. 1, 1957 Town was in Debt	26,995.99*	
Jan. 1, 1958 Town was in Debt		24,983.65
Excess of Liabilities over Assets decreased by		2,012.34

School District

Assets

Cash on hand	$ 9,205.40	$ 13,518.60
Balance due on taxes	1,402.15	
	$ 10,607.55	$ 13,518.60

Liabilities

Insurance payments withheld	$ 14.44	
Building Notes, 2¾%	2,000.00	$ 1,000.00
Officer's Salaries	160.00*	160.00
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	$ 8,433.11	$ 12,358.60
School District balance increased		3,925.49

* Corrected figures.

Respectfully submitted,

MARJORIE BRESETTE,
GORDON H. LADD,
PHYLLIS FLINT,
Auditors

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Town General

Cash on hand and in Bank Jan. 1, 1957		$ 1,115.01
Receipts:—		
Poll Taxes	$ 882.42	
Old Age Taxes	955.00	
Real Estate and Per. Prop. Taxes	13,167.17	
		15,004.59
Delinquent Taxes	$ 4,919.37	
Interest on Taxes	523.38	
		5,442.75
Loans Current:—		
Montpelier Savings Bank & Trust Co.		16,000.00
State of Vermont Highways:—		
Winter Maint. Town Highways	$ 894.50	
Winter Maint. State Aid	367.95	
State Aid No. 344 1956	1,056.16	
Town Highways No. 216, 1956	6,775.50	
Resurfacing 1957	602.95	
State Aid 1957	5,417.86	
Town Highways 1957	14,841.15	
		29,956.07
State Aid Special Job No. 639		1,595.84
Interest:—		
On Cemetery Funds	$ 408.25	
On McClellan note for '56 and '57	30.98	
		439.23
Rent:—		
Lease Land		69.45
Refunds:—		
Overseer's Account to apply on D. Shepard	$ 75.00	
Town of Brookfield, Doris Tucker account	70.00	
Snow Roads, 1 ton salt	20.60	
Energetic Club, lights for '55 and '56	12.84	
Reginald Webster on hospital bill	14.00	
Reynolds & Son, rebate on compressor	.87	
Equip. Acct., battery for grader	16.45	
		209.76

By Sales:—			
U. V. Duranleau for Cletrac		$ 500.00	
U. V. Durlaneau for oil and grease		34.00	
John L. LaGue to apply on Dashner place		25.00	
Town Clerk, dog licenses sold		358.75	
			917.75
Miscellaneous:—			
Montpelier Savings Bank and Trust Co., div.		$ 1.28	
St. Aid No. 3, culverts	$ 160.72		
State Aid G, Corinth Rd	651.08		
Unselected Job No. 2, Lowery Road	174.38		
		986.18	
J. L. Johannessen, Liquor Lic.		37.50	
			1,024.96
Cemetery Lots sold in Maple Hill Cemetery:—			
Myrtle Spencer, lot No. 206A		$ 15.00	
Raoul Parris, lot No. 53A		30.00	
Myrtle Bewsee, lot No. 52A		30.00	
Joan Deberville to apply on No.		10.00	
Claude Sisters to apply on No. 53		25.00	
			110.00
Total Funds Available			$ 71,885.41

Orders Paid:—	
Selectmen's Account A	$ 34,810.01
Unselected Account E	11,866.15
Resurfacing Account F	904.43
State Aid Account G	5,430.88
Selected Snow Road Account I	781.83
Unselected Snow Road Acct. K	1,762.15
St. Aid Special No. 639, Corinth Rd.	2,393.75
St. Aid Unselected No. 3, Scales Hill	2,999.71
Extra Unselected	1,064.30
Dirt Road Account D	2,069.75
Maintenance Account J	804.50
Overseer's Account C	2,068.22

Cemetery Commissioner's C C		
General Care	262.45	
Perpetual Care	389.26	
Amount of orders paid	$ 67,607.39	
Cash on hand and in Bank Jan. 1, 1958	4,278.02	
		$ 71,885.41

Statement of Taxes for 1957

Grand List	$ 3,448.36
Tax Rate	10.04

Taxes Levied

General Town Tax	$ 2.77	$ 9,551.95
Town Highway	.25	862.09
Special Highway	.60	2,069.02
Indebtedness	1.00	3,448.36
School Tax	5.12	17,655.60
School Indebtedness	.30	1,034.51
Total Rate and Amount	$ 10.04	$ 34,621.54
Old Age Assistance Tax, 233 Polls at $5.00		1,165.00
Total Tax Levy		$ 35,786.54

Taxes Collected by Treasurer:—		
Real and Personal Property	$ 29,059.34	
Poll Taxes	1,917.64	
Old Age Taxes	955.00	
Discount allowed	453.42	
Taxes turned to Collector:—		
Delinquent Polls and warrants	633.78	
Delinquent Prop. and warrants	2,772.16	
	$ 35,791.34	
Less warrants	4.80	
Amount of Tax Levied		$ 35,786.54

DELMER E. CARPENTER,
Town Treasurer

TOWN GRADER AND EQUIPMENT ACCOUNT

Received From:—			
Balance Jan. 1, 1957			$ 1,037.96
Dirt Road Account D			522.00
Maintenance Account J			213.00
Unselected Road Account E			767.50
Resurfacing Account F			21.00
State Aid Account G			51.00
State Aid Special No. 639			51.00
Unselected Snow Account I			156.50
Selected Snow Account K			576.75
Total Received			$ 3,396.71
Paid out on Grader and Equipment:—			
Fuel Oil		$ 177.20	
Anti freeze, grease and gas		83.62	
Payment of one note		680.00	
Payment of interest on notes		89.00	
Repairs		632.28	
Chains, cans, battery		67.69	
Meter and insurance		124.37	
Repairs on bushcutter		55.93	
Total paid out		$ 1,910.09	
Balance Jan. 1, 1958		1,486.62	
			$ 3,396.71
Equipment Account earned in 1957:—			
U. V. Duranleau, Foreman			
Town Highways	$ 735.00		
Unselected Roads	742.00		
		$ 1,477.00	
Clarence W. Beede, Foreman			
State Aid Roads	$ 123.00		
Unselected Scales Hill	25.50		
Snow Roads	186.00		
		334.50	

Stanley Davis, Foreman			
Snow Roads	$ 547.25		
		547.25	
Total earned		$ 2,385.75	
Cr. by balance on hand Jan. 1, 1957		1,037.96	
			$ 3,396.71

DELMER E. CARPENTER,
Town Treasurer

DOG LICENSES ISSUED IN 1957

94 dogs @ $2.00	$ 188.00
17 dogs @ 3.00	51.00
15 dogs @ 6.00	90.00
7 dogs @ 9.00	63.00
	$ 392.00
Less fee of 25¢ per dog	33.25
Balance to Town	$ 358.75
Paid to Treasurer	$ 358.75

DELMER E. CARPENTER,
Town Clerk

SELECTMEN'S ORDERS

Interest and Notes

First Nat. Bank of Montpelier, bond	$	1,000.00
First Nat. Bank of Montpelier, 4 coupons		50.00
First Nat. Bank of Mont., 3 coupons @ $12.50		37.50
First Nat. Bank of Montpelier, interest on notes		40.00
Lamoille Co. Savings Bank, payment on note		1,000.00
Lamoille Co. Savings Bank, interest on notes		120.00
L. Douglass and Laura Meredith int. on notes		70.00
Granite Savings Bank & Trust Co., note		6,000.00
Granite Savings Bk. & Tr. Co., int. on above note		127.50
Calef Library, int. on Braley and White funds		40.00
Montpelier Savings Bank & Trust Co., notes		15,800.00
Montpelier Savings Bank & Trust Co., bond int.		147.50
Montpelier Sav. Bk. & Trust Co., int. on notes		487.99
Total	$	24,920.49

Bonds and Insurance

D. E. Worthley, bonds for town officers	$	28.00
J. W. Dillon Agcy., Compensation Ins.		216.69
The Fid. and Cas. Co. of N. Y. Work. Comp.		63.00
J. W. Dillon Agcy., Tucker bond		20.00
J. W. Dillon Agcy., adj. of 1956 ins.		56.80
Leonard Simpson, ins. on town buildings		27.33
Total	$	411.82

Cost of Collecting Taxes

D. E. Carpenter, coll. poll and property taxes	$	296.74
Thelma Carpenter, computing taxes		51.00
Edward Roy, poll taxes abated		157.95
Edward Roy, personal property taxes abated		163.75
Total	$	669.44

Town Officers

D. E. Carpenter, town clerk and treas. 1956	$	190.00
Arthur Beede, selectman 1956		40.00
Kenneth Seaver, selectman 1956		40.00
Stanley Davis, selectman 1956		40.00
Gordon Ladd, moderator 1957		4.00

Gordon Ladd, auditor 1957		40.00
Phyllis Flint, auditor 1957		40.00
Myrtle Spencer, auditor 1957		40.00
William Chamberlin, lister and car 1957		77.59
Lawrence Morrie, lister and car 1957		62.16
Clarence Beede, lister and car 1957		67.62
Total	$	641.37

Elections

Mabel Seaver, ballot clerk—town meeting	$	4.00
Thelma Carpenter, ballot clerk—town meeting		4.00
Delmer Carpenter, clerk—town meeting		8.00
A. C. Beede, absent ballots—town meeting		4.00
Fay Deberville, absent ballots—2 elections		4.00
Modern Printing Co., printing town reports		197.50
E. W. Thurber, printing sample ballots		8.25
York Ordway, janitor at town hall		2.00
Total	$	233.75

Advertising

Chelsea Job Press, printing tax notices	$	8.00
Barre Daily Times, Inc., adv. poll tax notices		9.00
Barre Daily Times, Inc., adv. Dashner place		11.81
Barre Daily Times, Inc., adv. board of civil auth.		5.40
Total	$	34.21

Appropriations and Assessments

Town School District, 1956 delinquent tax	$	1,402.15
Farm Bureau, county real estate tax		174.39
Town Treasurer, 1957 property tax		558.76
State Treasurer, old age assistance tax		1,048.50
Vt. Agr. Extension Service, agricultural tax		131.83
State Treasurer, highway assessment		299.69
Town School District, 1957 delinquent tax		1,762.72
Union Gospel Church, 1957 lease land		60.00
Calef Library, 1957 appropriation		125.00
Total	$	5,563.04

Town Clerk's Office

Gulf Oil Co., range oil	$	63.44
Tuttle Stationery Co., stationery		7.56

Green Mountain Stationery Co., supplies		6.75
Al-an's, typewriter ribbon		1.25
Vt. Institutional Industries, order pads		6.43
John McDonald, printed envelopes		39.00
D. E. Carpenter, office supplies		49.46
D. E. Carpenter, postage and envelopes		10.20
Wheeler and Clark, dog tags		9.06
Kenneth Seaver, 4 keys for office		1.40
J. L. Johannessen, fuel oil for office		3.96
Total	$	198.51

Legal Services

Jose Monte, legal services rendered	$	13.00
O. Fay Allen, Jr., legal services on tax sale		181.26
Total	$	194.26

Miscellaneous

Green Mountain Power Corp., lights	$	387.83
Eagle Flag & Toy Co., 3 dazen flags		6.39
Ernest King, auctioneer for Dashner sale		7.75
Bailey Bros., battery for grader		16.45
Interstate Equipment Co., Inc., collar for culvert		2.24
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts purchased (less discount)		1,051.52
Reynolds & Son, miscellaneous		3.35
East Barre Fire District No. 1, fire at Renfrew's		75.00
Marion Webster, writing orders and clerk services for selectmen		50.00
Arthur Beede, ½ run wood		3.00
Arthur Beede, cleaning and pushing back dump		18.00
Dr. L. A. Howe, report'g 1 communicable disease		.25
Total	$	1,621.78

Bridges

Corinth Road Stone Bridge:		
A. C. Beede, 4½ hrs. @ $1.25	$	5.63
A. C. Beede, truck, 3 hrs. @ $1.30		3.90
Carl Fitts, labor, 3 hrs. @ $1.00		3.00
	$	12.53
Hunt's Bridge:		
U. V. Duranleau, labor, 3½ hrs. @ $1.25	$	4.38

A. C. Beede, labor, 3½ hrs. @ $1.25	4.38
A. C. Beede and loader, 2½ hrs. @ $3.50	8.75
	$ 17.51
Frank Bowen's Bridge:	
Flint Lumber Co., Inc., lumber	$ 217.40
Notch Road Bridge:	
A. C. Beede, truck and labor	$ 17.50
A. C. Beede, John Deere, 2 hrs. @ $3.00	6.00
A. C. Beede, truck @ $1.30	3.60
Stanley Davis, truck and labor	19.80
Lawrence Beede, labor, 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
Stephen Beede, labor, 14 hrs. @ $1.00	14.00
Clarence Beede, labor, 4 hrs. @ $1.00	4.00
	$ 73.90
Total	$ 321.34
Total Selectmen's Orders	$ 34,810.01

DUE TOWN AND SCHOOL OFFICERS

D. E. Carpenter, Town Clerk and Treasurer	$ 190.00
D. E. Carpenter, Fire Warden	5.00
D. E. Carpenter, Old Age Investigator	10.00
D. E. Carpenter, School Treasurer	40.00
Arthur Beede, Selectman	40.00
Kenneth Seaver, Selectman	40.00
Marshall Webster, Selectman	40.00
Nathan Flint, Cemetery Commissioner	20.00
Lee Kingsbury, Cemetery Commissioner	20.00
Gordon Ladd, Cemetery Commissioner	20.00
Vera McDonald, School Director	30.00
A. M. Partridge, School Director	30.00
Jason Hart, School Director and Clerk	60.00
	$ 545.00

ELECTRIC LIGHT FUND

		Fund	Interest	Balance in Bank
21083	Lilla M. Patterson	$ 212.15	$ 6.41	$ 218.56
15301	Lizzie Avery	38.23	1.14	39.37

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

	1956	1957
Balance on hand	$ 8,367.36	$ 9,205.40
Use of School Bus	22.95	
Balance of Tax	2,304.27	1,402.15
Wax and Sealer sold	8.50	
Refund on gas		12.18
Lease Land Rent	52.28	104.01
Town Treas., Poll Taxes	884.52	1,035.22
Montpelier National Bank	3,934.62	4,420.12
Rebate on insurance	5.60	
Funds Available	$ 15,580.10	$ 16,179.08
Orders paid Jan. 1 to June 30	13,261.50	15,413.86
Balance on hand July, '56 and '57	$ 2,318.60	$ 765.22
Montpelier National Bank		1,477.25
Desks sold		4.00
Refund on interest		15.31
Refund on Gas	2.38	
Town Treas., property taxes	14,036.10	15,892.17
State Treas., aid for education	12,025.69	14,048.44
Balance of 1957 tax		1,762.72
Funds Available	$ 28,382.77	$ 33,965.11
Orders paid July 1-Dec. 31	19,177.37	20,446.51
Balance on hand Jan. 1, '56 and '57	$ 9,205.40	$ 13,518.60

DELMER E. CARPENTER,
School Treasurer

SCHOOL DISTRICT INCOME

	Actual July 1, '56 June 30, '57	Estimated July 1, '56 June 30, '57	Actual July 1, '57 Dec. 31, '57	Budget July 1, '58 June 30, '59
Cash in Bank	$ 2,318.60	$ 2,000.00	$ 765.22	$ 1,000.00
Revenue other than school tax:				
State Aid	12,025.69	12,600.00	14,048.44	15,120.00
Lease land rent	104.01	50.00		100.00
Gas tax refunds	14.56			
Cash sale of (4) old School desks			4.00	
Refund of Int. on Tax Ant. loans			15.31	
	$14,462.86	$14,650.00	$14,832.97	$16,220.00
1956 School Tax ($4.68 x $3,487.77)	15,438.25			
1957 School Tax (Poll only)	1,035.22			
1957 School Tax ($5.42 x $3,448.36)		18,903.71	17,654.89	
1958 School Tax ($5.81 x $3,448.36)				20,034.97
	$30,936.33	$33,553.71	$32,487.86	$36,254.97
Borrowed in order to operate to end of school year	4,420.12		1,477.25	
	$35,356.45		$33,965.11	

BUDGET — CLASSIFIED SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

	Budget	Actual	Budget	Actual	Budget Proposed
	July 1, 1956 June 30, 1957		July 1, 1957 June 30, '58	Dec. 31, '57	July 1, '58 June 30, '59
General Control:					
Board of Dir. Sal.	$ 90.00	$ 90.00	$ 90.00	$	$ 90.00
Clerk & Treas. Sal.	70.00	70.00	70.00		70.00
Expenses	20.00	15.05	15.00	4.78	10.00
Supervision	690.00	752.89	725.00	400.79	750.00
Instructional Expense					
Salary of Teachers	10,900.00	10,739.48	12,300.00	4,983.08	13,600.00
Elem. Tuition	1,050.00	775.00	800.00		1,000.00
H. S. Tuition	8,620.00	7,914.58	11,450.00	5,158.21	12,000.00
Text Books	400.00	436.72	450.00	510.29	475.00
Supplies	300.00	316.36	300.00	316.35	325.00
Operation of School Plant					
Janitor Service	1,000.00	945.00	1,000.00	400.00	1,000.00
Janitor Supplies	80.00	175.56	90.00	5.88	100.00
Fuel	850.00	870.34	900.00	331.00	875.00
Light and Power	165.00	196.00	185.00	79.87	196.00
Water	80.00	80.00	80.00	40.00	80.00
Maintenance of School					
Repairs	800.00	1,077.64	800.00	453.31	1,000.00
Furniture	250.00	646.13	300.00	289.65	350.00
Boiler Inspect		7.50			
Fixed Charges					
Ins. & Fid. Bonds	215.00	163.46	220.00	110.99	220.00
Auxiliary Costs					
Health	20.00	23.88	20.00		24.00
Transportation	2,800.00	3,217.38	2,600.00	1,339.32	3,000.00
Census	10.00	9.60	10.00	9.24	10.00
Sundries	10.00	2.80	10.00		
Graduation	10.00	10.86	15.00		15.00
Int. on Tax Ant. Loan	60.00	65.38	70.00	102.63	70.00
Tot. Current Expense	$ 28,490.00	$28,601.61	$32,500.00	$14,535.39	$35,260.00
Loans Paid (tax ant.)		3,934.62		5,897.37	
Bldg. Note and Int.	1,082.50	2,055.00	1,055.00	13.75	1,027.50
Total Expend.	$ 29,572.50	$34,591.23	$33,555.00	$20,446.51	$36,287.50
Cash on Hand		765.22		13,518.60	
Balance		$35,356.45		$33,965.11	

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF LIABILITIES

School Year Ending June 30

	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
Short Term Loans	$ 6,500.00	$ 6,500.00	$ 5,000.00	$ 4,000.00	$ 4,500.00
Building Notes	6,000.00	5,000.00	4,000.00	3,000.00	1,000.00
	$ 12,500.00	$11,500.00	$ 9,000.00	$ 7,000.00	$ 5,500.00

ESTIMATE OF AMOUNT OF TAXES NEEDED

Estimated Expenditures: July 1, 1958 to June 30, 1959	$ 36,287.50
Less: Estimated income other than taxes	16,220.00
Amount to be raised by taxes	$ 20,067.50
Tax Rate necessary on present Grand List of $3,448.36	$ 5.81

of which 30¢ will be used to pay off Building Note and Interest.

RE-CLASSIFIED SCHOOL EXPENDITURES

July 1, 1956 to June 30, 1957

General Control	
Board of Directors	
Robert McCallum, salary	$ 30.00
A. Maurice Partridge, salary	30.00
Vera McDonald, salary	30.00
Delmer Carpenter, treasurer's salary	40.00
A. Maurice Partridge, clerk's salary	30.00
Clerical Exp. and Bd. dues	15.05
Supervision	
J. Newton Perrin, Supt., salary and expense	752.89
Instructional Expenses	
Miss Clara Riford, teacher salary	420.00
Mrs. Adeline P. Canales, teacher salary	2,600.00
Mr. Bernard Wiggin, teacher salary	2,800.00
Miss Kathryn Worthley, teacher salary	2,580.00
Mrs. Eunice Cahill, teacher salary	1,879.48
Mrs. Mae Partridge, teacher salary, sub.	120.50
Mrs. Rachel Stone, teacher salary, sub.	264.00

Mrs. Clara McLeod, teacher salary, sub.	44.00
Mrs. Chas. Parsley, teacher salary, sub.	31.50
Barre City Schools, H. S. tuition	6,602.08
Bradford Academy & Sch. Dist., H. S. tuition	1,312.50
Orange School District, elementary tuition	775.00
Textbooks	436.72
Instructional supplies and appliances	316.36

Operation of School Plant

Eustace Goulet, janitor's wages	10.00
Louisa Tromblay, janitor's wages	935.00
Calder & Richardson, coal	870.34
Green Mt. Power Corp., light and power	196.04
Huntington Spring Water, water	80.00

Maintenance of School Plant

Dept. of Public Relations, boiler inspection	15.00
Barre Paint & Wallpaper Co., repairs	43.49
Winston Rogers, painting	92.65
Flint Lumber Co., materials	112.96
Eustace Goulet, repairs	96.40
W. W. Spaulding, repairs	284.29
Calder & Richardson, repairs	20.00
Victor Duranleau, repairs	30.65
Robert Barrett, repairs	15.00
Booth Brothers, repairs	25.00
Blakes Linoleum Co., repairs	349.70
Paris Manuf. Co., furniture	69.13
J. L. Hammitt Co., furniture	577.00
Reynolds & Son, janitor's supplies	96.02
W. W. Spaulding, janitor's supplies	9.19
Kennedy's Garage, bus repair	199.75
Carle & Seaver, tires	105.96
Vt. Motor Vehicle Dept., register bus	20.00
A. Maurice Partridge, drive bus	7.35
Hill-Martin Corp., parts	7.00
E. Goulet's Garage, gas, parts, labor, bus	817.36
Whitney's Store, gas	78.82
Johannsen Store, gas	110.34
Ellis N. Johnson, insurance, bus	88.10
Mrs. Arthur Beede, transportation	37.15
Mrs. Eva Beede, transportation	37.15
Arthur Beede, towing bus	16.00
Louisa Tremblay, drive bus	900.50
William Chamberlin, drive bus	779.50
John McDonald, P. O. box rent	2.80
E. S. and A. H. Brigham, loan and interest	1,013.75

Franklin County Bank, interest	27.50
D. C. Davis, note and interest	1,013.75
Montpelier Nat. Bank, tax ant. loan and int.	4,000.00
D. E. Worthley, Agt., ins. and fidelity bd.	129.86
Mrs. Mae Partridge, census	9.60
Mrs. Mae Partridge, eye tests, pupils	11.88
Mrs. Carol Ordway, R. N., medical	12.00
William Chamberlin, Agt., insurance	33.60
William Chamberlin, re-imbursed bus insp.	1.40
Kennedy Garage, inspection	1.00
C. B. Dolge Co., repair, wax for floor	70.35
L. C. Meyers, graduation gift for speaker	10.86
Paul Widmer, carry safety patrol to Burl.	10.00
Total	$ 34,591.27

SCHOOL DIRECTORS' REPORT

The preceding report has been compiled for your information and judgment and is correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

The small increase in cash on hand as of December 31, 1957 is more apparent than real because all teachers' salaries have been stretched out to a 12-month payment basis instead of the customary 10-month basis.

The cost of repairs exceeded the budget figure this year due to unforeseen derangements and the following was accomplished:

(a) Replaced water pipe from water main to brook.
(b) Repainted Room 3.
(c) Replaced loose plaster and painted stairwells.
(d) Painted blackboards and refinished floors.
(e) Removed 2 unused windows in Room 2 and accomplished numerous other small repairs to conserve heat.
(f) Installed electrical outlet in Room 1 to facilitate use of visual aids equipment.
(g) Installed additional shelves in Room 2.

The cost of high school tuition is still rising and although no increase in enrollment is foreseen for the year 1958-59, the tuition rate per pupil is increasing to $425.00 for Spaulding students.

Teachers' salaries will have to be raised considerably to comply with the minimum salary scales set by state law in the last legislature.

The above two increases alone would account for more than the proposed rise in the tax rate but by economizing where possible, the board feels that it may make ends meet with the tax rate of $5.81 on the present grand list for the school year 1958-59.

The school board has come to realize the dire need for a serious study of the school's requirements in the very near future and has decided to instigate the formation of a school study group to accomplish this purpose.

The enrollment in the first four grades already far exceeds the maximum allowable for efficient instruction and grades 5 through 8 will experience the same predicament within 3 years at the present rate of increase. At the present time, even the hallways are being utilized to the maximum which is not a healthy situation.

The Board believes that by electing a school study group to gather all the facts and propose possible remedies for your consideration and good judgment now may prevent a costly and ill-conceived crash program in the near future.

It is understandable that many members of the school district are smarting from the tax squeeze, but in the light of recent International developments, progress in our educational system may well be the most economical alternative to annihilation.

The Board wishes to express its appreciation for, and solicit, the continued fine support of the school program by the school district and the Parent-Teachers Association.

A. MAURICE PARTRIDGE,
VERA A. McDONALD,
JASON B. HART,
School Directors

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Citizens of Washington:

Your superintendent is pleased to share with you the usual pertinent information concerning education in your town. This report will be concerned mainly with the statistical and instructional aspects of school operation in Washington.

We have two changes in our teaching staff from last year. Mrs. Storey succeeds Mrs. Canales in grades five and six, and Mrs. MacAulay replaces Mrs. Cahill in grades one and two:

Bernard A. Wiggin, Principal	Grades 7 and 8
Florence Y. Storey	Grades 5 and 6
Kathryn C. Worthley	Grades 3 and 4
Margaret M. MacAulay	Grades 1 and 2

The table of enrollments for the Village School which follows shows that the total number of pupils remains the same as last year. This is a five-year comparison:

Year Grades:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Totals
'53-'54	15	14	15	10	11	9	11	6	91
'54-'55	16	15	12	15	10	11	8	11	98
'55-'56	17	18	9	10	15	7	11	7	94
'56-'57	14	20	19	11	9	14	6	12	105
'57-'58	13	18	19	16	11	9	15	4	105

At the start of the school year we had five pupils from the Simpson District attending the East Orange School. We are still paying tuition for these five pupils, and in addition, to help out in the instructional situation at East Orange, we have agreed to pay our share of having three of these pupils transported to Orange Center, together with two pupils from Orange. Our tuition here remains the same as last year, with the added cost of transportation for three pupils.

The following shows our high school enrollment, which is up some from last year:

	9th Yr.	10th Yr.	11th Yr.	12th Yr.	Totals '57-'58	Totals '56-'57
Spaulding	9	7	7	6	29	22
Bradford		1		1	2	2
Williamstown	1				1	
Totals '57-'58	10	8	7	7	32	
Totals '56-'57	10	6	6	2		24

Our graduating class from the Washington Village School as of last June, 1957, numbered thirteen pupils:

Nellie A. Beede	Harold S. Moran
Albert A. Gingras	Marion P. Moran
Lawrence D. Holmes	William R. Moran
Linda M. Kezer	Reginald L. Poulin
Shirley A. Mason	Rosann L. Tucker
Dennis L. McHugh	Diane A. Webster

Buddy R. Wadkins

It was three years ago that intelligence tests were given in the school. Therefore, we thought best to administer the Otis Quick-Scoring Mental Ability Test to all pupils this year. This was in addition to the achievement tests which we give every year in November. The first tests the pupil's **ability** to do school work, the second his **progress** in his school work. Parents are invited to confer with the teachers regarding the results of these tests, and the general progress of their children.

Along the line of textbooks, we decided to continue the purchase of new reading material beyond grade one, through grade four. Also, new geography books were purchased for grade four.

The following table of school costs is required by law in this report. It covers the school year from July first to June 30, for the past five years. The totals do not include payments on school bonds, only current expenses.

		Cost Per Pupil:	
School Year	Total Cost	Elementary	Secondary
1952-1953	$ 23,508.51	$ 201.39	$ 154.06
1953-1954	24,908.85	198.22	200.20
1954-1955	27,524.86	199.10	230.85
1955-1956	25,769.64	196.90	259.26
1956-1957	28,591.23	190.44	275.67

With the new salary law in effect, teachers with ten or more years of experience, throughout the state may expect an increase of three hundred dollars for next year. This is also true of the teachers in Washington, who will receive this increase next year, which they so richly deserve.

Tuition at Spaulding High School has been increased for the next school year, from $329.10 per pupil to $425. This is an increase of over $95 per student.

Touching briefly on our physical facilities, a long-range view for Washington might include expanding the school plant. We know that our recreation, physical education, and auditorium facilities are sadly lacking, when compared with other schools. A combination gymnasium and auditorium, which could also be used for a school cafeteria, would greatly improve the all-round efficiency of the school, as well as furnishing broader possibilities for the PTA and other adult groups. We hope that the town will give careful consideration to such a proposal.

Honors again to the PTA which so ably functions in its role of liason between school and home! We should all give our heartiest support to this organization which, among other projects, sponsors the school lunch program. I believe we should also remember to appreciate the time and effort given by the school board in the management of the schools, and in the solution of the many problems which arise.

The support of the taxpayers is much appreciated. We shall need this support more than ever this coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

J. NEWTON PERRIN,
Superintendent of Schools

January 13, 1958

VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE

Montpelier, Vermont

This is the twenty-second annual report which I have made to the citizens of Washington regarding State payment in your municipality of various types of assistance and welfare during 1957. The support and cooperation of town officers and people generally over this long period is gratefully acknowledged. We have some measure of responsibility for 12,000 individuals and annually spend about six million dollars.

The total number of recipients in all four programs has not changed substantially for several years. Due to the extension of Social Security, the number receiving Old Age Assistance has declined but those receiving Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled have increased. Supplementation of inadequate amounts of Social Security benefits is an increasing role of Public Assistance. Towns and cities participate financially in two of the programs as indicated below. Administrative expenses for the four types of Public Assistance have always been among the lowest in the nation. In one state the recipient receives less than eighty-two cents out of the assistance dollar. In Vermont the recipient received ninety-six cents.

Old Age Assistance	$ 15,974.00
Aid to Dependent Children*	1,889.00
Aid to the Disabled	2,199.00
Committed Children**	2,765.96
Total	$ 22,827.96

W. ARTHUR SIMPSON

*One-eighth paid by the town or city unless family is non-settled.
**One-half paid by the town or city unless family is non-settled.

OVERSEER'S REPORT

William G. Richardson

	Fuel and Clothing	Medical & Hospital	Care and Board	Total
Lemieux, Norma	$ 33.44	$	$	$ 33.44
Senecal, Rose		63.91		63.91
Shepard, Mrs. Sam	12.50	190.79	148.00	351.29
Smith Claire	60.45			60.45
Soucy, Charles		127.13		127.13
	$ 106.39	$ 381.83	$ 148.00	$ 636.22

A. D. C. Tax	219.42
Dept. of Social Welfare, Acct. Dickey Children	1,204.58
W. G. Richardson, services and expenses	8.00
Total Order Drawn	$ 2,068.22
Refunds:	
Account of Mrs. Sam Shepard	75.00
Net Cost to Town	$ 1,993.22

SELECTMEN'S ROAD ORDERS

Unselected Road Construction

Scale's Hill Road Job — Clarence Beede, Foreman

Job No. 1

Clarence Beede, foreman 162 hrs. @ $1.25	$ 202.50
A. C. Beede, labor 48 hrs. @ $1.00	48.00
A. C. Beede, truck 26 hrs. @ $1.30	33.80
A. C. Beede, truck and driver 6½ hrs. @ $2.30	14.95
A. C. Beede, chain saw 10 hrs. @ $1.50	15.00
A. C. Beede, shovel 56 hrs. @ $4.00	224.00
A. C. Beede, bulldozer and oper. 59 hrs. @ $7.50	442.50
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver 87 hrs. @ 4.35	378.45
Stanley Davis, labor 14 hrs. @ $1.00	14.00

Stanley Davis, truck and driver 11½ hrs. @ $2.30	26.45
Stanley Davis, 5 yd. truck and driver 45½ hrs. @ $4.35	197.93
Dwight McCullough, shovel and operator 45½ hrs. @ $7.50	341.25
Dwight McCullough, 5 yd. truck and driver 43 hrs. @ $4.35	187.05
Dwight McCullough, moving shovel	24.00
U. V. Duranleau, 5 yd. truck and driver 24 hrs. @ $4.35	104.40
U. V. Duranleau, 6 yd. truck and driver 12½ hrs. @ $5.00	62.50
Bernal Lord, bulldozer and oper. 9 hrs. @ $8.00	72.00
Bernal Lord, moving bulldozer	10.00
Carl Fitts, labor 105 hrs. @ $.75	78.75
Lawrence Fitts, labor 50 hrs. @ $1.00	50.00
Eugene Lemieux, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
Lawrence Beede, 12½ hrs. @ $1.00	12.50
Henry Moran, 27 hrs. @ $1.00	27.00
Armond Vermette, Jr., labor $9.00 @ $1.00	9.00
Stephen Beede, labor 27 hrs. @ $1.00	27.00
Chester Beede, labor 2 hrs. @ $1.00	2.00
Carroll Beede, labor 5 hrs. @ $1.00	5.00
Thomas Randall, labor 4 hrs. @ $1.00	4.00
Marshall Webster, Jr., labor 4 hrs. @ $.75	3.00
Reynolds & Sons, rental of compress, drills, bits	31.55
J. L. Johannessen, gas and oil	2.15
Town of Washington, brush cutter 5 hrs. @ $2.00	10.00
Town of Washington, grader 8½ hrs. @ $3.00	25.50
Town of Washington, two culverts	160.72
Joseph Laperle, fill 3,195 yds. @ $.03	95.85
Vermont Explosives Co., dynamite and caps	47.91
Total Job No. 1	$ 2,999.71

Cut trees and brush at a cost of $233.50. Road was widened and side ditches constructed 4 ft. from edge. Two culverts were installed. 3,195 yds. of fill was put on from Bedard's pit (0.60 mile haul). No gravel was put on this year. Total cost was $2,996.50.

Lowery Road — U. V. Duranleau, Foreman

Job No. 2

U. V. Duranleau, foreman and labor 219 hrs. @ $1.25	$ 273.75

U. V. Duranleau, truck 28 hrs. @ $1.20	33.60
U. V. Duranlea, truck 66 hrs. @ $1.30	85.80
U. V. Duranleau, 5 yd. truck 5 hrs. @ $3.25	22.75
U. V. Duranleau, 5 yd. truck and driver 37 hrs. @ $4.35	160.95
U. V. Duranleau, 6 yd. truck and driver 80 hrs. @ $5.00	400.00
U. V. Duranleau, chain saw 43 hrs. @ $1.50	64.50
A. C. Beede, labor 2 hrs. @ $1.00	2.00
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver 45 hrs. @ $4.35	195.75
A. C. Beeder, loader and oper. 9 hrs. @ $5.00	45.00
Stanley Davis, 5 yd. truck and driver 22 hrs. @ $4.35	95.70
E. O. Moran, 6 yd. truck and driver ½ hr. @ $5.00	2.50
J. Couillard, 5 yd. truck and driver 1 hr. @ $4.35	4.35
Wm. Scott, 5 yd. truck and driver 1 hr. @ $4.35	4.35
Town of Orange, 5 yd. truck and driver 22 hrs. @ $4.35	95.70
Dwight McCullough, 5 yd. truck and driver 22 hrs. @ $4.35	95.70
Clarence Beede, labor 22 hrs. @ $1.25	27.50
Henry Moran, labor 53 hrs. @ $1.00	53.00
Marcel Lajeunesse, labor 55 hrs. @ $1.00	55.00
George Perry, labor 51 hrs. @ $1.00	51.00
James Perrin, labor 27 hrs. @ $1.00	27.00
Carroll Duranleau, labor 27 hrs. @ $1.00	27.00
Marshall Webster, Jr., labor 23 hrs. @ $.75	17.25
Elliott Moran, labor 22 hrs. @ $.75	16.50
Leonard Lemieux, labor 5 hrs. @ $1.00	5.00
Albert Lambert, tractor, 6 hrs. @ $2.00	12.00
Richard Lambert, labor 43 hrs. @ $1.00	43.00
Town of Washington, saw 5 hrs. @ $2.00	10.00
Town of Washington grader 54 hrs. @ $3.00	162.00
Town of Washington, 62 ft. culvert @ $2.87 less 2% discount	174.38
W. Martin, 6 yd. truck and driver 18 hrs. @ $5.00	90.00
W. Martin, moving bulldozer twice	60.00
Delmer Carpenter, 475 yds. fill @ $.05	23.75
J. F. Lamson, 66 yds. gravel loaded @ $.50	33.00
Michael Bedard, 2.081 yds. @ .15	312.15
Treasurer, State of Vermont, shovel, bulldozer and operator	993.45
Total of Job No. 2	$ 3,775.38

Comments on Lowery Road — Job No. 2

Cut trees and brush at a cost of $349.85. Widened road, constructing side ditches 4 ft. from edge, excavating side cuts and installing two culverts. 2,081 yds. of bank run gravel from Bedard's pit (2.90 mile haul) was put on 18 ft. wide by 18 inches deep. Total cost was $3,775.38. Gravel cost $0.82 yd.

Lambert Road — U. V. Duranleau, Foreman
Job No. 3

U. V. Duranleau, foreman 212 hrs. @ $1.25	$ 265.00
U. V. Duranleau, truck 88 hrs. @ $1.30	114.40
U. V. Duranleau, chain saw 19 hrs. @ $1.50	28.50
U. V. Duranleau, 5 yd. truck and driver 33 hrs. @ $4.35	143.55
U. V. Duranleau, 4 yd. truck and driver 9 hrs. @ $3.25	29.25
U. V. Duranleau, 6 yd. truck and driver 87 hrs. @ $5.00	435.00
A. C. Beede, loader and operator 10 hrs. @ $5.00	50.00
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver 44 hrs. @ $4.35	191.40
Dwight McCullough, 5 yd. truck and driver 22 hrs. @ $4.35	95.70
Stanley Davis, 5 yd. truck and driver 21 hrs. @ $4.35	91.35
William Scott, 5 yd. truck and driver 22 hrs. @ $4.35	95.70
Town or Orange, 5 yd. truck and driver 13 hrs. @ $4.35	56.55
E. O. Morin, 6 yd. truck and driver 22 hrs. @ $5.00	110.00
Donald Seaver, 5 yd. truck and driver 8 hrs. @ $4.35	34.80
Clarence Beede, labor 23 hrs. @ $1.25	28.75
Henry Moran, labor 132 hrs. @ $1.00	132.00
Elliott Moran, labor 54 hrs. @ $.75	40.50
Richard Lambert, labor 27 hrs. @ $1.00	27.00
George Perry, labor 5 hrs. @ $1.00	5.00
Marcel Lajeunesse, labor 14 hrs. @ $1.00	14.00
James Perrin, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
Carroll Duranleau, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
Lloyd Lemieux, labor 27 hrs. @ $1.00	27.00
Leonard Lemieux, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00

Harold Moran, labor 9 hrs. @ $.75	6.75
Stephen Beede, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
Carl Fitts, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
Edward Roy, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
Town of Washington, grader 65 hrs. @ $3.00	195.00
Town of Washington, brush saw 3 hrs. @ $2.00	6.00
Vernon Payne, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
Reynolds & Son, barbed wire and staples	20.50
Delmer Carpenter, fill 288 yds. @ $.05	14.40
Michael Bedard, gravel, 1,841 yds. @ $.15	276.15
J. F. Lamson, gravel 66 yds. @ $.50	33.00
J. F. Lamson, gravel and loading 169 yds. @ $.60	101.40
Treasurer, State of Vermont, bulldozing	1,119.01
Total Cost of Job	$ 3,850.66

Cut trees and brush at a cost of $408.75. Road was widened and ditches constructed 4 ft. from edge. 1,841 yds. of bank run gravel was hauled and put on 18 ft. wide by 12½ inches deep. 235 yds. of gravel from Lamson's pit was put on (3.70 mile haul) at a cost of $1.63 yd. Total cost was $3,850.66.

Morse Road — U. V. Duranleau, Foreman

Job No. 4

U. V. Duranleau, foreman 166 hrs. @ $1.25	$ 207.50
U. V. Duranleau, truck 77 hrs. @ $1.30	100.10
U. V. Duranleau, chain saw 34 hrs. @ $1.50	51.00
U. V. Duranleau, 4 yd. truck and driver 5 hrs. @ $3.25	16.25
U. V. Duranleau, 5 yd. truck and driver 18 hrs. @ $4.35	78.30
U. V. Duranleau, 6 yd. truck and driver 36 hrs. @ $5.00	180.00
A. C. Beede, loader and oper. 3 hrs. @ $5.00	15.00
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver 41 hrs. @ $4.35	178.35
Stanley Davis, 5 yd. truck and driver 16½ hrs. @ $4.35	71.78
Dwight McCullough, 5 yd. truck and driver 18 hrs. @ $4.35	78.30
William Scott, 5 yd. truck and driver 18 hrs. @ $4.35	78.30

E. O. Morin, 6 yd. truck and driver 18 hrs. @$5.00	90.00
Donald Seaver, 5 yd. truck and driver 15½ hrs. @ $4.35	67.43
Carroll Duranleau, labor 5 hrs. @ $1.00	5.00
Marcel Lajeunesse, labor 5 hrs. @ $1.00	5.00
Henry Moran, labor 59 hrs. $1.00	59.00
Harold Moran, labor 36 hrs. @ $.75	27.00
James Perrin, labor 5 hrs. @ $1.00	5.00
Clarence Beede, labor 18 hrs. @ $1.25	22.50
Leonard Lemieux, labor 23 hrs. @ $1.00	23.00
Town of Washington, grader 46 hrs. @ $3.00	138.00
Delmer Carpenter, fill 40 yds. @ $.05	2.00
Michael Bedard, gravel 1,348 yds. @ $.15	202.20
J. F. Lamson, gravel 48 yds. @ $.50	24.00
Treasurer, State of Vermont	812.38
Total Cost of Job	$ 2,537.39

Trees and brush were cut costing $319.00. Road was widened and side ditches constructed 4 ft. from edge. 1,348 yards of bank run gravel was hauled from Bedard's pit (4.20 mile haul) and put on 18 ft. by 11½ inches at a cost of $1,439.09. 48 yds. of gravel from Lamson's pit (4.20 mile haul) was also put on at a cost of $75.85 or $1.58 yard.

Woodchuck Hollow Road — U. V. Duranleau, Foreman

Job No. 5

U. V. Duranleau, foreman 106 hrs. @ $1.25	$ 132.50
U. V. Duranleau, truck 37 hrs. @ $1.30	48.10
U. V. Duranleau, 6 yd. truck and driver 70½ hrs. @ $5.00	352.50
U. V. Duranleau, tractor and mower 4 hrs. @ $3.50	14.00
Clarence Beede, labor 25½ hrs. @ $1.25	31.88
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver 22½ hrs. @ $4.35	97.88
Stanley Davis, 5 yd. truck and driver 22½ hrs. @ $4.35	97.88
Henry Moran, labor 27 hrs. @ $1.00	27.00
Carroll Duranleau, labor 5 hrs. @ $1.00	5.00
Harold Smith, labor 6 hrs. @ $1.00	6.00
Leonard Lemieux, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
Washington Town grader, 58 hrs. @ $3.00	174.00
W. Martin, 6 yd. truck and driver 20 hrs. @ $5.00	100.00

W. Martin, crusher 771 yds. @ $.65	501.15
Michael Bedard, gravel 771 yds. @ $.13	100.23
Flint Lumber Co., Inc., 2 pc. 10" sewer pipe	5.60
Total Cost to Complete	$ 1,702.72

Work consisted of cleaning ditches, shaping road, hauling 771 yds. of crushed gravel from Bedard's pit (4.80 mile haul) at $1,420.42 or $1.84 per yard.

Note: Town of Washington was reimbursed to the amount of $14,841.15 by the State upon the completion of the five unselected road construction jobs done this year.

Hart Hollow Road — Clarence Beede, Foreman

Clarence Beede, foreman 75 hrs. @ $1.25	$ 93.75
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver 52 hrs. @ $4.85	252.20
A. C. Beede, shovel and operator 27 hrs. @ $5.00	135.00
A. C. Beede, bulldozer and oper. 4 hrs. @ $8.00	32.00
Stanley Davis, labor 10 hrs. @ $1.00	10.00
Stanley Davis, 5 yd. truck and driver 43 hrs. @ $3.75	161.25
Stanley Davis, truck and driver 6 hrs. @ $2.30	13.80
W. Scott, 5 yd. truck and driver 24 hrs. @ $4.85	116.40
U. V. Duranleau, labor 16 hrs. @ $1.25	20.00
U. V. Duranleau, 6 yd. truck and driver 7 hrs. @ $5.00	35.00
U. V. Duranleau, truck 8 hrs. @ $1.30	10.40
Lawrence Beede, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
Paulino Bedia, labor 6 hrs. @ $1.00	6.00
Town of Washington, grader 19 hrs. @ $3.00	57.00
Delmer Carpenter, fill 570 yds. @ $.05	28.50
J. F. Lamson, gravel 140 yds. @ $.60	84.00
Total Cost of Job	$ 1,064.30

$1.000. was taken from General Fund and put with Special Highway 60¢ funds in order to qualify for State Aid. The money was spent (shown above) on the Hart Hollow Road by drawing in fill and gravel.

STATE AID RESURFACING

Clarence Beede, Foreman

Clarence Beede, foreman 63 hrs. @ $1.25	$	78.75
A. C. Beede, bulldozer and oper. 24 hrs. @ $7.50		180.00
A. C. Beede, chain saw ½ hrs. @ $2.50		1.25
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver 4½ hrs. @ $4.35		19.58
U. V. Duranleau, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.25		11.25
U. V. Duranleau, 6 yd. truck and driver 12 hrs. @ $5.00		60.00
U. V. Duranleau, 5 yd. truck and driver 4½ hrs. @ $4.35		19.58
Stanley Davis, labor 15 hrs. @ $1.00		15.00
Stanley Davis, 5 yd. truck and driver 7½ hrs. @ $4.35		32.63
Peter Hayward, 5 yd. truck and driver 3 hrs. @ $4.35		13.05
John McDonald, chain saw 6 hrs. @ $2.50		15.00
Lawrence Fitts, labor 24 hrs. @ $1.00		24.00
Carl Fitts, labor 31 hrs. @ $.75		23.25
Town of Washington, grader 7 hrs. @ $3.00		21.00
W. Martin, 5 yd. truck and driver 3 hrs. @ $4.35		13.05
W. Martin, 6 yd. truck and driver 18 hrs. @ $5.00		90.00
W. Martin, shovel and crushing 368 yds. @ $.65		239.20
Michael Bedard, gravel 368 yds. @ $.13		47.84
Total Cost of Resurfacing Job	$	904.43
Received from State		602.95
Received from Town Tax	$	301.48

An estimated .9 mile was resurfaced on the John McDonald road with 368 yds. of gravel being crushed and hauled an estimated 7 miles from Bedard's pit.

Corinth Road Job — Clarence Beede, Foreman

Clarence Beede, foreman 250½ hrs. @ $1.25	$	313.14
A. C. Beede, labor 67 hrs. @ $1.00		67.00
A. C. Beede, truck 10 hrs. @ $1.30		13.00
A. C. Beede, bulldozer and oper. 43 hrs. @ $7.50		322.50
A. C. Beede, shovel and oper. 69 hrs. @ $4.00		276.00
A. C. Beede, truck and driver 2 hrs. @ $2.30		4.60

A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver 172 hrs. @ $4.35	748.21
A. C. Beede, truck and driver 7 hrs. @ $3.70	25.90
A. C. Beede, shovel and oper. 14 hrs. @ $5.00	70.00
Dwight McCullough, shovel and operator 97 hrs. @ $7.50	727.50
Dwight McCullough, 5 yd. truck and driver 97 hrs. @ $4.35	421.95
U. V. Duranleau, labor 5 hrs. @ $1.25	6.25
U. V. Duranleau, 5 yd. truck and driver 7 hrs. @ $4.35	30.45
U. V. Duranleau, 6 yd. truck and driver 97 hrs. @ $5.00	485.00
Stanley Davis, 4 yd. truck and driver 66 hrs. @ $3.70	244.20
Stanley Davis, 5 yd. truck and driver 41 hrs. @ $4.35	178.36
Stanley Davis, labor 29½ hrs. @ $1.00	29.50
Stanley Davis, truck and driver 9 hrs. @ $2.30	20.70
Stanley Davis, truck 2 hrs. @ $1.30	2.60
Lawrence Beede, labor 4 hrs. @ $1.00	4.00
Stephen Beede, labor 11½ hrs. @ $1.00	11.50
Carroll Beede, labor 2 hrs. @ $1.00	2.00
Thomas Randall, labor 1 hr. @ $1.00	1.00
Lawrence Fitts, labor 73 hrs. @ $1.00	73.00
Carl Fitts, labor 151 hrs. @ $.75	113.25
Town of Washington, grader 17 hrs. @ $3.00	51.00
Town of Washington, 6 culverts	651.08
W. B. Martin, 6 yd. truck and driver 10½ hrs. @ $5.00	52.50
W. B. Martin, shovel and crushing 322 yds. @ $.65	209.30
Michael Bedard, gravel 322 yds @ $.13	41.86
Joseph Laperle, fill 7,562 yds. $.03	226.86
J. L. Johannessen, oil	.46
E. Goulet's Garage, cutting tube	3.50
Wirthmore Feed Co., 1 15" coated band for tube	2.71
Total	$ 5,430.88
Received from State	5,417.86

Work consisted of cutting brush and trees at a cost of $48.50, widening sub-grade to 26 ft., cutting ditches and sloping banks and installing six culverts. Hauled 7,562 yds. of fill from the Laperle pit (0.5 mile) to bring sub-grade to given grade. This work cost $4,716.37. 322 yds. of

gravel was put on from the Bedard pit (8.40 mile haul) on the first 0.2 mile of the job, gravel was put on 16 ft. wide by an average depth of 6 inches at a cost of $652.99 or $2.03 per yard in place.

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Special Corinth Road Job — Clarence Beede, Foreman

Clarence Beede, foreman 199 hrs. @ $1.25	$ 248.75
A. C. Beede, labor 8 hrs. @ $1.00	8.00
A. C. Beede, 4 yd. truck and driver 29 hrs. @ $3.25	94.25
A. C. Beede, 4 yd. truck and driver 3 hrs. @ $3.70	11.10
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver 19 hrs. @ $4.35	82.65
A. C. Beede, shovel and oper. 36 hrs. @ $6.50	234.00
A. C. Beede, bulldozer and oper. 83 hrs. @ $7.50	622.50
A. C. Beede, tractor, shovel and operator 7 hrs. @ $3.50	24.50
Stanley Davis, 4 yd. truck and driver 34½ hrs. @ $3.70	127.65
U. V. Duranleau, labor 7 hrs. @$1.25	8.75
U. V. Duranleau, 6 yd. truck and driver 33 hrs. @ $5.00	165.00
Roy Burroughs, 5 yd. truck and driver 9 hrs. @ $4.35	39.15
Thomas Randall, labor 46 hrs. @ $1.00	46.00
William Condrick, labor 81 hrs. @ $1.00	81.00
Carl Fitts, labor 172 hrs. @ $.75	129.00
Lawrence Fitts, labor 117 hrs. @ $1.00	117.00
Roland Huntington, labor 17 hrs. @ $1.00	17.00
Chester Beed, labor 5 hrs. @ $1.00	5.00
Lawrence Beede, labor, 18 hrs. @ $1.00	18.00
Carroll Beede, labor 32 hrs. @ $1.00	32.00
Stephen Beede, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
William Beede, labor 26 hrs. @ $1.00	26.00
Lee Bishop, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
Town of Washington, brush cutter 10 hrs. @ $2.00	20.00
Town of Washington, grader 7 hrs. @ $3.00	21.00
Town of Washington, chain saw 8 hrs. @ $1.50	12.00
William Senecal, labor 47½ hrs. @ $1.00	47.50
William Senecal, 300 yds. fill @ $.03	9.00
Joseph Laperle, 700 yds. fill @ $.03	21.00

J. F. Lamson, 105 yd. gravel	55.00
J. L. Johannessen, supplies	4.67
Vt. Explosives Co., Inc., dynamite and box caps	37.78
Reynolds § Son, rental of compressor	10.50
Total Cost of Job	$ 2,393.75
Received from State	1,595.84

Work consisted of cutting brush and trees, widening roadway and putting on gravel. Total cost was $2,393.75.

SELECTED SNOW ROADS

November 1956 to April 30 1957

Town of Washington, grader 20½ hrs. @ $3.00	$ 61.50
Town of Washington, grader 10 hrs. @ $3.50	35.00
A. C. Beede, truck and V plow 6 hrs. @ $4.60	27.60
A. C. Beede, truck and one way plow 42½ hrs. @ $4.25	180.63
A. C. Beede, 5 yd truck and driver 5 hrs. $4.35	21.75
U. V. Duranleau, truck and plow 2 hrs. @ $5.90	11.80
Town of Chelsea, grader and driver 10 hrs. @ $8.50	85.00
A. C. Beede, Bulldozer 4 hrs. @ $5.75	23.01
Stanley Davis, truck 7 hrs. @ $1.20	8.40
A. C. Beede, driver 52½ hrs. @ $1.25	65.64
U. V. Duranleau, driver 2 hrs. @ $1.25	2.50
S. W. Davis, driver 30 hrs. @ $1.00	30.00
W. R. Beede, helper 43 hrs. @ $1.00	43.00
Steven Beede, helper 13½ hrs. @ $1.00	13.50
Loawrence Beede, helper 2 hrs. @ $1.00	2.00
Michael Gamble, helper 2 hrs. @ $1.00	2.00
Ulric Trembley, helper 3½ hrs. @ $1.00	3.50
J. F. Lamson, 20 yds. of sand @ $.50	10.00
Town of Washington, ½ ton of salt	10.30
Total Spent	$ 637.13
Received from State	367.95
Cost to Town	$ 269.18

UNSELECTED SNOW ROADS

Nov. 1956 to April 30, 1957

Town of Washington, grader 55½ hrs. @ $3.50	$ 194.25
Town of Washington, grader 85 ½ hrs. @ $3.00	256.50
A. C. Beede, truck and V plow 14½ hrs @ $4.60	66.70
A. C. Beede, truck and one way plow 43½ hrs. @ $4.25	184.89
A. C. Beede, bulldozer, 7 hrs. @ $5.75	40.26
A. C. Beede, 5 yd. truck and driver 7 hrs. @ $4.35	30.45
A. C. Beede, truck 11 hrs. @ $1.20	13.20
U. V. Duranleau, truck and plow 3½ hrs. @ $5.90	20.65
Albert Coddington, self and Jeep	75.00
Town of Williamstown, grader and help 4 hrs. @ $5.00	20.00
Town of Williamstown, tractor and help 2 hrs. @ $9.00	18.00
C. A. Beede, driver 65 hrs. @ $1.25	81.27
U. V. Duranleau, driver 3½ hrs. @ $1.25	4.38
S. W. Davis, driver 87½ hrs. @ $1.00	87.50
W. R. Beede, helper 23½ hrs. @ $1.00	23.50
Steven Beede, helper 16½ hrs. @ $1.00	16.50
Ulric Trembley, helper 3½ hrs. @ $1.00	3.50
Kenneth Seaver, helper 2 hrs. @ $1.00	2.00
Clarence Beede, labor snow fence 7 hrs. @ $1.00	7.00
Kenneth Beede, labor snow fence 3 hrs. @ $1.00	3.00
Roland Huntington, labor snow fence 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
Lawrence Fitts, labor snow fence 4 hrs. @ $1.00	4.00
Lawrence Beede, labor snow fence 4 hrs. @ $1.00	4.00
Lawrence Downing, labor 11½ hrs. @ $1.00	11.50
Clifton Pray, self and team	23.00
J. F. Lamson, 20 yds. of sand @ .50	10.00
Town of Washington, ½ ton salt	10.30
Total Spent	$ 1,220.35
Received from State	894.50
Cost to Town	$ 325.85

SELECTED SNOW ROADS

Clarence Beede, foreman 32 hrs. @ $1.25	$	40.00
A. C. Beede, truck and driver 3 hrs. @ $2.30		6.90
A. C. Beede, shovel and loading sand 8 yd. @ .30		2.40
Stanley Davis, truck 8 hrs. @ $1.30		10.40
Carroll Beede, driver (snow plow) 4 hrs. @ $1.25		5.00
Lawrence Beede, labor 3 hrs. @ $1.00		3.00
Lawrence Fitts, labor 11 hrs. @ $1.00		11.00
Carl Fitts, labor 8 hrs. @ .75		6.00
Town of Washington, grader 20 hrs. @ $3.00		60.00
Total Oct. 1 to Dec. 21st, 1957	$	144.70

UNSELECTED SNOW ROADS

Clarence Beede, foreman 150 hrs. @ $1.25	$	187.50
Stanley Davis, truck and driver 14 hrs. @ $2.30		32.20
A. C. Beede, truck 33 hrs. @ $1.30		42.90
A. C. Beede, truck and driver 1 hr. @ $2.30		2.30
A. C. Beede, truck and plow 3 hrs. @ $4.35		13.05
A. C. Beede, shovel and loading sand 8 yds. @ .30		2.40
Stephen Beede, labor 8 hrs. @ $1.00		8.00
Lawrence Beede, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00		9.00
Lawrence Fitts, labor 28 hrs. @ $1.00		28.00
Carl Fitts, labor 27 hrs. @ .75		20.25
Carroll Beede, driving snow plow 10 hrs. @ $1.25		12.50
Thomas Randall, labor 10 hrs. @ $1.00		10.00
Chester Beede, labor 5 hrs. @ $1.00		5.00
Roland Huntington, labor 5 hrs. @ $1.00		5.00
Kenneth Seaver, driving grader 8 hrs. @ $1.25		10.00
David Paris, labor 3 hrs. @ $1.00		3.00
Winston Rogers, truck and driver 4 hrs. @ $2.30		9.20
Winston Rogers, truck, driver and plow 2 hrs. @ $4.35		8.70
Town of Washington, grader 42 hrs. @ $3.00		126.00
Donald Beede, labor 2 hrs. @ $1.00		2.00
Total Oct. 1 to Dec. 21, 1957	$	537.00

ROAD COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

Selected Maintenance

U. V. Duranleau, foreman and labor 118 hrs. @ $1.25	$ 147.50
Henry Moran, labor 83 hrs. @ $1.00	83.00
George Perry, labor 46 hrs. @ $1.00	46.00
James Perrin, labor 41 hrs. @ $1.00	41.00
Carroll Duranleau, labor and driver 18 hrs. @ $1.00	18.00
Dean Wright, labor and driver 18 hrs. @ $1.00	18.00
Marcel Lajeunesse, labor 9 hrs. @ $1.00	9.00
U. V. Duranleau, truck 78 hrs. @ $1.30	101.40
U. V. Duranleau, 6 yd. truck 26 hrs. @ $3.65	94.90
Town Grader, 71 hrs. @ $3.00	213.00
J. F. Lamson, 24 yds. loaded gravel @ .50	12.00
U. V. Duranleau, 48 yds. loaded sand @ .40	19.20
U. V. Duranleau, 10 yds. sand @ .15	1.50
Total Spent	$ 804.50
Received from Town Tax	862.09

U. V. DURANLEAU,
Road Commissioner

Unselected Maintenance

U. V. Duranleau, foreman and labor 369 hrs. @ $1.25	$ 461.25
Henry Moran, labor 242 hrs. @ $1.00	242.00
George Perry, labor 156 hrs. @ $1.00	156.00
Dean Wright, labor and driver 116 hrs. @ $1.00	116.00
C. Duranleau, labor and driver 68 hrs. @ $1.00	68.00
Harold Moran, labor 3 hrs. @ $1.00	3.00
U. V. Duranleau, truck 235 hrs. @ $1.30	305.50
U. V. Duranleau, 6 yd. truck 40 hrs. @ $3.65	146.00
Town Grader, 174 hrs. @ $3.00	522.00
J. F. Lamson, 100 yds. loaded gravel @ .50	50.00
Total Spent	$ 2,069.75
Received from Town Tax	2,069.02

U. V. DURANLEAU,
Road Commissioner

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS
Year Ending December 31, 1957

Expenditiures

	General	Perpetual Care
Labor		
Lee Kingsbury, 410½ hrs. @ $1.00	$ 80.00	$ 330.50
D. Carpenter, tractor mowing	2.50	
Ora Eastman, 10 hrs. @ $1.00		10.00
M. B. Royce, 8 hrs. @ $1.00	8.00	
D. Carpenter, drawing deeds	3.00	
Nathan Flint, Commissioner	20.00	
Lee Kingsbury, Commissioner	20.00	
Gordon Ladd, Commissioner	20.00	
Equipment, Repairs and Supplies		
Lawn Boy Mower	70.90	
Cutter for blade	6.75	
Flint's Motor Service, repairs and parts	25.00	25.00
Lee Kingsbury, mower repairs	1.50	
Fertilizer, seed, planks and soil	4.80	18.10
Gasoline and oil		5.66
	$ 262.45	$ 389.26
Total Expenditures		$ 651.71

LEE R. KINGSBURY,
GORDON H. LADD,
N. W. FLINT,
Cemetery Commissioners

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

	Principal	Previous Balance	Int. Rec'd during year	Interest used or in Gen. Fund	Dec. 31 Balance
General Fund	$2,675.00	53.51	80.25		133.76
Peoples Nat. Bank	3,672.12*	67.89	56.09	102.25	21.73
Burlington S. & L.	1,934.53	74.64	†	74.64	
Granite Sav. Bank	4,985.00*	190.90	78.62	142.52	127.00
Puritan Fund Inc.	8,006.44		105.02	105.02	

Puritan Fund shares (1,156) were bought in July with funds from Peoples National Bank ($3,693.85) and Granite Savings Bank ($4,312.59).

* As of Jan. 1, 1957

† Interest received in 1958

CALEF MEMORIAL LIBRARY FUND

William J. Chamberlin, Treasurer

Receipts

1957			
Jan. 1	Cash on hand	$	95.76
Jan. 2	Cash from Peoples Nat'l Bank, interest on Trust Fund		78.53
July 1	Cash, Peoples Nat'l Bank, interest on Trust Fund		72.91
Dec. 31	Cash, 1957 annual appropriation Town of Washington		125.00
Dec. 31	Cash, 1957 Braley and White Trust Fund		40.00
	American Tel. & Tel. dividends of 13.50 each: Feb., Apr., July and Oct.		54.00
	Total Receipts	$	466.20

Disbursements

Books and Magazines	$	27.59
Librarian's Salary		150.00
Fuel and Lights		56.46
Janitor and cleaning		59.00
Insurance, paint, repairs		68.19
Misc. tape, cards, flowers		11.36
Total disbursements	$	372.60
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1957		93.60
	$	466.20

Investments

Calef Endowment		
3 M. Scranton Springbrook Water Serv. 2⅞-76	$	3,046.25
1 M. Duquesne Light Co., 2¾-77		970.00
1 M. So. Bell Telephone, 2⅞-87		965.00
$500.00 U. S. Sav. Bond Series G, 2½-60		500.00
Savings Acct. PNB No. 17521		163.89
Held by Trustees		
6 shares Am. Tel. & Tel. Co., common		960.00
Savings Acct. Peoples Nat. Bank, No. 9790		219.26
	$	6,824.40

DELINQUENT TAXES

	Poll	Real and Personal
Anderson, George		$ 3.28
Bates, Gladys		10.09
Ballard, Eugene and Belle	$ 14.68	120.53
Bellville, Fred and Virginia		90.41
Benson, Herbert and Elizabeth		110.49
Bianchi, Rildo and Irio		96.35
Bishop, Lee and Emma	21.96	
Braley, Burnace and Hazel	27.30	3.59
Braman, Frank and Susie		40.21
Calevro, Dante and Andrew		39.44
Camire, Nelson		2.75
Carrier, Armand and Dorothy		23.93
Clough, Carroll		176.93
Colby, Kenneth		1.25
Cutler, Mark		28.45
Davenport, Arthur and June	11.73	152.40
Demas, Leona		18.42
Denison, Edgar		25.83
Downing, Lloyd		179.65
Doyle, John and Bertha		19.99
Doyle, Leo and Betty		82.50
Doyle, John Jr.		128.47
Ducharme, Albert		.60
Duff, Richard		9.52
Eastman, Charles		40.21
French, John W. Est.		30.17
George, Claude and Lloyd Lovely		50.25
Girelli, Enrico		38.57
Goodspeed, Rose	9.65	
Hatch, Clyde Jr.		5.07
Hatch, Clyde and Edna	90.25	90.38
Hatch, Neil	15.09	
Hatch, Wayne and Beverly	30.18	
Hebert, Wilfred and Florence	30.18	
Howard, Clinton and Solvejy		9.47

Hunter, L. and T.		1.83
Hutchinson, Clyde and Verlie	73.00	29.34
Hutchinson, Delmer and Arlene		561.00
Keith, Ralph		54.23
Kezer, Lynn and Mae	30.18	15.11
Lacillade Lumber Co.		.60
Ladd, Harry	11.73	121.92
LaFountain, Forrest and Lena	52.82	93.23
Lambert, Albert		9.68
LaPerle, Joseph and Helena		80.37
Lathrop, Robert	11.73	
Lemieux, Ethel		105.94
Leno, Harold	11.05	
Lund, Reginald and Mary		10.09
McClellan, Archie	11.73	91.41
MacDonald, Keith	15.09	
Moran, Henry and Pauline		184.28
Moran, Robert and Doris	29.36	
Morey, Merton and G.		17.41
Morris, Henry and Marjorie	47.28	
Nelson, Priscilla		56.90
O'Meara, Lawrence Sr.		45.23
Pecor, Ruth and Ernest	19.30	
Pero, Dean	11.73	
Randall, Thomas	29.77	
Richardson, Wm.		90.10
Rural Gas Service		4.67
Senecal, Wm. and Shirley	30.18	
Senecal, Wilfred and Rose	18.88	
Shepard, Robert	11.91	
Steller, Henry		47.74
Trombly, Norman and Hazel	12.52	
Tucker, John		33.29
Town of Washington		100.45
Verge, Isadore and Monica		12.66
Webster, Ernest and Florence		38.01
Webster, Rudolph	11.73	
Webster, Beatrice	15.09	
Wilmott, Linwood		111.48
Waters, Raymond and Pauline		98.70

STATEMENT OF DELINQUENT TAXES

December 31, 1957

Real Estate and Personal Property

Year	Received for Collection	Collections	Balance
1939	$ 39.77	$ 39.77	$
1940	72.45	72.45	
1941	75.35	75.35	
1942	86.70	86.70	
1945	29.34		29.34
1947	18.68	18.68	
1949	68.96	21.76	47.20
1950	81.54	63.69	17.85
1951	28.45		28.45
1952	142.34	104.69	37.65
1953	279.21	240.91	38.30
1954	863.00	642.66	220.34
1955	1,012.10	797.00	215.10
1956	2,541.69	1,681.02	860.67
1957	2,772.16	622.19	2,149.97
Total	$ 8,111.74	$ 4,466.87	$ 3,644.87

Poll Taxes

1945	$ 21.60	$ 7.20	$ 14.40
1947	25.95	25.95	
1948	27.00	9.00	18.00
1949	48.25		48.25
1950	31.95	10.65	21.30
1952	23.54	23.54	
1953	34.62	11.05	23.57
1954	110.54	23.82	86.72
1955	226.53	70.38	156.15
1956	371.91	245.46	126.45
1957	633.78	422.52	211.26
Total	$ 1,555.67	$ 849.57	$ 706.10
		$ 5,316.44	

Summary of Collections:

Total Collected and Abated	$ 5,316.44
Received by Treasurer	5,019.93
Cash on Hand, Collector	$ 296.51

DELINQUENT LEASE LAND TAXES

Milne, Chas. and Carmen	$	18.00
Beede, C. W. and Myrtice		12.00
Juhaz, A. B. and E. A. Kuban		.30
Vanderberg, Raymond and Virginia		6.75
Milne, M. E., J. H. and G. G.		13.50
Rural Hunting Club		3.75
Wood, Walter		4.00
Hubbard, E. C., G. B. and C. D.		18.00
Tougas, L. G. and C.		4.40
Carrier, Louis		13.68
	$	94.38

VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH REPORT

This report summarizes many services offered by the health team through use of state tax dollars, and indicates those services rendered to Washington last year to promote health in the community.

Well-child Conferences, persons served	6
School Conferences, persons served	3
Chest x-rays, persons served	5

Nurse visits (to home, physician, school) 27 visits on behalf of 20 persons.

Immunizations:

Polio*: persons injected at children's clinics	132
persons injected at adult clinics and doctors' offices	40
Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Tetanus, persons immunized	3
Crippled Children's Clinics, persons served	1
Guidance Clinics, persons served	0
Hospitalization Financial Assist., persons served	0
Tumor Clinics, persons served	1

The public health nurse welcomes the opportunity to serve you, and can be reached by mail addressed to the Vermont Department of Health, Division of Public Health Nursing, Montpelier, Vermont.

VITAL STATISTICS

Births for the Year of 1957

Feb. 10—Annette Ruth Bisson to Rosaire Wilfrid Bisson and Ruth Christine Farnham.

Mar. 23—Luanne Edna Hatch to Wayne Everett Hatch and Beverly Nellie Hood.

Mar. 27—Randy Jay Spaulding to Leland Austin Spaulding and Virginia Rose Bell.

Mar. 30—David John Farnham to Wayne Douglass Farnham and Josephine Natilda Davis.

July 8—Laurie Ann Duranleau to Carroll Harman Duranleau and Elizabeth Mary Demage.

July 22—Ruth Elaine Lewis to Richard Prescott Lewis and Eunice Maxine Willis.

Sept. 16—Timothy Brooks Holmes to Wilmer Edward Holmes and Mercedes Melvina Gomez.

Oct. 13—Donald Joseph Beaucage to Joseph Lepolen Beaucage and Mary Rose Tremblay.

Oct. 22—Howard Fay Deberville to Robert Richard Deberville and Joan Ann Pelletier.

Nov. 20—Robert Joseph Roy to Edward Henry Roy and Rosena Conti.

Nov. 28—Richard Montgomery Bowen, Jr. to Richard Montgomery Bowen, Sr. and Betty-Lou Lezer.

Dec. 20—John Carl Senecal to William Joseph Senecal and Shirley Jean Libbey.

Marriages for 1957

	Groom and Bride	Residence	By Whom Married
Jan. 13—	Wendell Brooks	Washington, Vt.	Albert E. Parker
	Janice Hutchinson	Washington, Vt.	Congregational
Jan. 19—	Carroll Duranleau	Washington, Vt.	Rev. J. H. Dussault
	Elizabeth Demage	Barre City, Vt.	R. Catholic

Jan. 19—	Richard Bowen Betty-Lou Lezer	Washington, Vt. Barre, Vt.	Richard Painchaud Baptist
June 14—	Rudolph J. Webster Dorothy M. LaFlower	Washington, Vt. Northfield, Vt.	Burton G. Robbins Clergyman
Aug. 7—	Allen Jones Elinor S. Carle	E. Barre, Vt. Washington, Vt.	T. Murdock Hale Presbyterian
Oct. 5—	Wayne E. Mugford Lida Payne	E. Montpel'r, Vt. Washington, Vt.	Richard Painchaud Baptist

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Deaths of 1957

Date		Age	Last Residence
Feb. 5—	Benjamin O. Spencer	81	Washington, Vt.
Mar. 16—	Robert J. McCallum	60	Washington, Vt.
Mar. 27—	Daniel Worthley	80	Washington, Vt.
June 21—	D. Leland Barnum	72	Washington, Vt.
Nov. 17—	Benjamin R. Harrington	59	Washington, Vt.

WARNING

The legal voters of the Town and Town School District of Washington, Vermont, are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town Hall on the 4th of March, A. D. 1958 at 10:00 o'clock A. M. to act on the following articles:

Art. 1. To elect all necessary officers for the Town and Town School District for the ensuing year by the Australian Ballot. The ballot will close at 2 o'clock P. M.

Art. 2. Shall license for the sale of malt and vinous beverages be granted in this town.

Shall spirituous liquors be sold in this Town?

Art. 3. To hear and act upon the reports of the several Town Officers.

Art. 4. To see if the town will authorize its Selectmen to appoint a Road Commissioner? And if so, whether one or two shall be appointed.

Art. 5. What amount of tax will the Town vote for the current expenses for the ensuing year? Also what amount of tax for the Maintenance of highways? What amount of tax to apply on indebtedness?

Art. 6. Will the Town vote to raise 30c special tax to cover amount forfeited out of general fund to receive state aid money in 1957, a total of $1,034.51?

Art. 7. When will Poll Taxes be due? When will real estate and personal property taxes be due? Shall interest be added to delinquent taxes?

Art. 8. Will the Town vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of taxes and other revenue?

Art. 9. To vote a compensation for the Town Officers.

Art. 10. Shall the employees come under the Compensation act and the benefits thereof?

Art. 11. Shall the names of the delinquent taxpayers, the year and the amount be printed in the Town Report?

Art. 12. Will the Town vote to exempt from taxes new dwelling houses in Town? What number of years? This is to be in accordance with the provisions of No. 15 of the Public Acts of 1953.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will vote to abolish the

quadrennial appraisal of real estate in town, according to Sec. 5 of No. 219 of the Acts of 1957?

Art. 14. Will the Town authorize the Auditors of the town to employ the services of the Auditor of Accounts, to conduct an audit of the accounts of the Town, as provided by No. 55 of the Acts of 1937?

Art. 15. Will the Town elect three Trustees of Public Funds to take care of all Trust Funds belonging to the Town? If so, one Trustee to be elected for a term of one year, one for two years, and one for three years. Thereafter one Trustee will be elected each year for a term of three years.

Art. 16. Will the Town authorize and direct the Selectmen to turn over to the Town Treasurer, or Trustees of Public Funds if elected, each year the sum of $700 from the Cemetery Perpetual Care Trust Funds now in the General Fund until the entire sum of $2,675.00 has been turned over to either the Treasurer, or Trustees of Public Funds if elected?

Art. 17. Will the Town authorize the Selectmen to acquire by gift or purchase land for a municipal forest, to promote reforestation, water conservation and good forestry practices?

Art. 18. Will the Town authorize the Selectmen to serve as Overseer of the Poor for the ensuing year?

The Town Meeting is hereby recessed and Town School District meeting to be called to order, to act upon the following articles:

Art. 1. What amount of Tax will the Town School District vote for support of schools for the ensuing year? Also to raise money to apply on the indebtedness of the final School District refunding serial note and interest?

Art. 2. What amount will the Town School District vote to pay for tuition for High School students?

Art. 3. Will the Town School District elect a Study Committee to investigate the long range requirements of the school program and to report findings and make recommendations to the District?

Do any other necessary and proper business.

KENNETH SEAVER,
ARTHUR C. BEEDE,
MARSHALL WEBSTER,
Selectmen of Washington

Not Official.

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